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It is set to rival London's famous Wigmore Hall as one of the nation's premier recital venues. But at a cost of £8 million, funding could prove the stumbling block for Christ Church University's music centre plans

BY **GARETH ARNOLD**

WORLD class musicians could be set to flock to the city after plans for the county's first purpose-built music centre were unveiled by renowned composer Sir Peter Maxwell Davies.

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Sir Peter has agreed to be a patron of the new £8 million centre at Christ Church University, which will include a 350-seater concert hall, as well as rehearsal and practice rooms.

Designed from the ground up to be perfect for

both practice and performance, the centre is expected to attract some of the biggest names in classical music to the city, and provide Christ-Church students with one of the best music facil-ities in the South East.

Project leader Professor Grenville Hancocks said: "The nearest thing to this is probably the Wigmore Hall in London. It's incredible really, that such a big county as Kent has nothing like this at all. People talk about London being close by but that's rubbish, we need something here." What makes the centre unique is its total focus

on music performance; it has been designed to provide the perfect concert space for chamber music and soloists. Prof Hancocks said: "It has been designed to be

acoustically excellent with sound isolation so you won't hear what's going on outside. And from outside you also will not be able to hear anything.

"We will be hosting top international performers, and the students will benefit from access to a top level performance and teaching space for as long as they are here."

The centre will be used alongside the university's current performance venue, St Gregory's Church, and promises much greater flexibility for students and performers alike.

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PENALTY: Network Rail has been hit with £14 million fine for late running of engineering work

Commuters to pay price for £14m rail fine, says Brazier

MP JULIAN Brazier said fining Network Rail which operates and maintains the nation's rail infrastructure – is not the answer to commuters' woes arguing rail bosses should be made to pay.

The Office of Rail Regulation fined Network Rail a record £14 million for the late running of engineering works

after the New Year holiday period.

In a parliamentary debate last week, Mr Brazier accused the Government of "missing the point" as far as rail services were concerned. and criticised them for imposing the fine on the rail company, arguing it would only make matters worse.

The Tory MP said: "How will it help rail capacity to take £14m out of Network Rail's budget? That fine, imposed on a public sector body, can only hit rail users. Would it not have been better to stop the £75,000 bonus to the chief executive, or the

18 per cent rise for the directors?"
Yet the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Transport, Tom Harris, said Mr Brazier had misunderstood the situation.

He said: "The Hon Gentleman will be disappointed to be reminded once again that the Department for Transport has no say over whether the Office of Rail Regulation imposes a fine on Network Rail. That should be a mat-

BY **GARETH ARNOLD**

ter for the independent rail regulator. "The Hon Gentleman's party has accused this Government on a num-ber of occasions of micro-managing the railways, but again one of them is at the dispatch box telling us that is exactly what we should do. The railways are better run by railway peo-ple, not ministers."

Rail fares increased on January 1, with the cost of an annual season ticket from Canterbury to London increasing by 11.11 percent on last year, from £3,132 to £3,480.

Coupled with punctuality problems, chronic overcrowding and terrible consumer satisfaction ratings, rail watchdogs, both local and national, blasted the increases when

they were announced last year. Following the debate, Mr Brazier said: "The minister has missed the point. The Government has set up a situation where, when Network Rail messes up, the fine imposed comes straight out of the public subsidy.

"No-one who caused last Christmas' chaos has lost out, only the poor benighted passengers, who will have £14m less invested in the rail network on their behalf."

Rail passengers have been warned by watchdogs to expect above-inflation fare increases until the middle of the next decade following the Government's plans to slash state subsidy of the railways.

Concerts by 'early 2011'

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The centre is expected to cost about £8m, and with £4m still to raise, the university is looking for sponsors to provide the extra cash.

A planning application will be submitted later this month and the centre could be finished as soon as late 2010.

Prof Hancocks said: "I expect the first concert to be in early 2011. It should be open in time to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the university's existence."

Subject to planning approval, the centre will be built in the grounds of St Gregory's Church on North Holmes Road, which is owned by the university and currently used for concerts and performances by students and visiting

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Display of inventions that changed world

INGENIOUS inventions of all kinds are on display at the Museum of Canterbury this week.

As part of National Science Week, the museum is running a series of

hands-on activities.
Ingenious Inventions takes place at the Museum of Canterbury in Stour Street from Thursday 13 to Saturday, March 15, and on Monday, March 17, between 10.30am and 4pm each day. Admission is £1, under fives get in free.

Sinden and Starkey join cathedral appeal

ACTOR Sir Donald Sinden and historian Dr David Starkey will visit the city this summer as part of the Save Canterbury Cathedral Appeal.

Dr Starkey, famous for his Channel 4 programme Monarchy, will give a talk Why do we still have cathedrals at all?" on Monday, June 9.
Sir Donald Sinden, star of stage, tel-

evision and radio, will speak in the Nave on Wednesday, June 4.

Visit www.canterbury-cathedral.org for more information.

Conductor to take his final bow at Marlowe

THE founder of the Kent Concert

Orchestra conducts his last waltz at the Marlowe Theatre this Sunday. Acclaimed conductor, Paul Neville, has chosen the music of the Strauss family for his farewell appearance.

Mr Neville bring his 18 years with the

orchestra to an end at the Marlowe on Sunday, March 16.

A Strauss Gala starts at 7.30pm. Details at: www.marlowetheatre.com.

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NEW ADDITION: African elephant Uzuri is the latest arrival at Howletts Wild Animal Park

You Beauty! Baby Uzuri takes a bow

weighs more than a fully grown man and now she's taking his first

steps into the glare of publicity.
Following a 22-month gestation
period, Howletts Wild Animal Park
is celebrating the arrival of a

is celebrating the arrival of a female baby elephant.

Named Uzuri, which means beauty in Swahili, the African calf was born on February 17 to Tammy – introduced to the Bekesbourne park from Tel Avivin 1000

The calf, Tammy's third, has a three-year-old sister, Jara, born in April 2005. Tammy's first calf, Jumar, now nearly 10-years-old, was the first African bull to be con-

ceived, born and reared in the UK.
Father to all three calves is
31-year-old bull, Jums, from
Zimbabwe, who has sired nine

at Howletts and this new arrival brings the size of the herd to 13.

Elephant keeper Liz Rickard, who was present for the birth, said: "The baby is adjusting very well to its new surroundings and family, gaining the usual three to five kilos every week.

"Her sister, Jara, is still taking milk from her mother but she doesn't even seem jealous of her new sibling, in fact she shows signs of being very protective.

"Tammy allows Jara to suckle for a while and then makes room

for the baby to have its share."

And after being nursed through his first few weeks, visitors to the park should be able to catch a glimpse of the new arrival as the popular attraction prepares for the Easter holiday

Memory test for over 65s

RESEARCHERS at the University of Kent are calling on OAP volunteers part of a pioneering project to help boost the memories of elderly witnesses in police investigations.

It needs around 200 over-65s to view a

short video and then undergo a number of questions about what they have just seen.

The aim of the research is to develop verbal interviewing techniques that could be used by police to enhance the memories of elderly witnesses. The research is being conducted by the

university's department of psychology - a leading centre of research and teaching

in theoretical and applied psychology.

Participation should take no longer than one hour.

Once the data has been analysed a Once the data has been analysed a report of the findings is likely to be submitted to a psychological journal for publication. All personal information will be kept strictly confidential.

For further information call Joyce

Humphries at the department of psychology on 01227 824187, or email J.E.Humphries@kent.ac.uk.



Clarification

teenagers in our city centre picture, which accompanied our story two weeks ago, had nothing to do with the reports of trouble which the story focused on. We are happy to clarify the situation to avoid any confusion.

Pupils' fury at plans to review open door rule

Boarders petition to allow mixed sex room visits

EXCLUSIVE

BY GARETH ARNOLD

MORE than 300 students at plush £9,000-a-term King's School have signed a petition battling a review of a rule to allow them to visit the bedrooms of pupils of the opposite sex.

The hard-won rule to allow socialising without sex at the Canterbury school could be rescinded amid cries of protest from pupils and parents.

The Open Door Rule, introduced in 2005 following years of debate and campaigning by school pre-fects, allows members of the top

year to visit the bedrooms of members of the opposite sex as long as the door is left open.

Yet authorities at the prestigious public school have decided to review the rule this month prompting prefects - known as purples - to launch an online petition.

Purple Alexander Gilmore said: "It must be remembered that students in the top year are all 17 or 18-years -old. In just one year, these students will be free to do as they please at university or on a gap year.

"They will be able to visit bed-rooms and even share bedrooms with members of the opposite sex at any time of the day, whilst being able to shut the door.

"For the past three years the rule worked to great effect. It has given the freedom that older students would like but has also

ensured that nothing of a sexual nature has occurred behind a closed

"The point of the Open Door Rule is to allow pupils to socialise freely in a natural environment. The fact that the door is open, makes sure that it is socialising and relaxing which occurs in the room rather than sex."

The review comes after school authorities expressed concern over pupils having sex at the boarding school

But pupils argue that rescinding the rule will not prevent sex between pupils if they are determined to flout the regulations.

When contacted by Yourcanterbury, King's School offi-cials confirmed the review was underway, but that no firm decision had yet been taken. It did not want to comment further.

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Care staff charged with neglect

CHARGES of criminal neglect have been brought against two members of staff at a Whitstable care home, after a mentally-ill patient was admitted to hospital with serious burns.

Two staff members at the Five Ways residential care home in Kingsdown Park are due to appear before magistrates in Canterbury on Wednesday,

Ebenezer Adebisi, 27, of Forest Road, Walthamstow, and 45-year-old

Sharon Johnson of Charnwood Street, London, have been charged under Section 44 of the Mental

Capacity Act 2005.

The charges followed the admission of a 19-year-old patient to the QEQM Hospital in Margate, late last year, suffering from serious scalding.

He spent two weeks in the specialist burns unit at the Queen Victoria Hospital in East Grinstead in November

Bravery awards for knife attack PCs

A BRAVERY medal has been awarded to four constables for saving the life of a woman in a vicious knife attack

PC Russell Balment, along with PC Paul Marsh, PC Mark Sankey and PC Mark Bardsley, were awarded the Chief Constable's Commendation for their courage in the attack at a home in South Street, Canterbury in September.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Contractor named in university's rebuild

CANTERBURY Christ University's plans to develop a new £30 million library, student support and learning centre have taken a step forward.

Officials in charge of the rebuild have

now appointed the main contractor Wates Construction.

The announcement comes after a 13week demolition of former 1970s office block, Clarkson House, situated in

Rhoadaus Town, Canterbury.

Work will now begin on site to build the university's flagship building, Augustine House, in its place.

Appeal after student nurse is mugged

POLICE are hunting a bag snatcher who attacked a student nurse in Canterbury.
Officers would like to hear from anyone

with information after a handbag was stolen from the 19-year-old as she walked along Nursery Walk in the city

The theft happened at 11.30pm on Saturday, March 1.

The man who grabbed the bag was wearing jeans and a black jacket.

Anyone with information can contact PC Jonathan Heard 01227 868267.

Long-serving landlords get brewer's accolade

THE LANDLORDS of the Hampton Inn in Herne Bay have received an award at the Shepherd Neame Pub Awards. The Faversham-based brewer present-

ed Vic Gardiner and Hazel Smith with a lifetime achievement gong for 30 years of service to the popular pub on the Western Esplanade.

Other winners included The Granville in Canterbury which took the award for Pub Restaurant of the Year.

Pub of the Year went to the Old Doctor Butler's Head in the City of London.

An opportunity to air your policing issues

WHITSTABLE'S neighbourhood team will be listening to people's policing problems next week.

As part of a series of open meetings, the neighbourhood police team will be at St Andrew's Church Hall in Grimshill Road on Monday, March 10 from 11am-noon.

PC Barry Hilton and community support officer Abi Symons encourages anyone who wants to raise any issues about policing in the Gorrell ward to come along.

The final frontier caught on camera

THESE amazing pictures of comets, stars, auroras and planets were all taken right here on Earth by amateur astronomer John Kemp, who helps run the popular East Kent Astrological Society.

Mr Kemp, from Whitstable, said he has been fascinated by the universe for as long as he can remember, and when an unexpected legacy gave him the chance to get a powerful telescope in 1993, there was no looking back.
Since then he has travelled as far away as

Africa to capture images of the night sky, and the varied phenomena visible from earth.

Back home he campaigns against light pollu-

tion, and helped Canterbury council draft its planning guidance on outdoor lighting, which is designed to minimise the effect lights on the

designed to minimise the effect lights on the ground have in obscuring the night sky. He also organises public stargazing sessions, held by the society, and although they have finished until October, there are still monthly lectures and meetings for those interested in getting involved. ting involved.

Mr Kemp said: "We have about 130 members, a monthly lecture at Bridge Village Hall, public stargazing at Blean, Walmer, and Folkestone, and a magazine called Eclipse which appears irregularly about three times a year when the editor – me – has enough contributions."

• Turn to page 8 for Yourinterview with John Kemp.



LIGHTS: This aurora was taken from Canterbury



PLANETS: An occultation, or eclipse, of Venus by the Moon



NIGHT SKY: Comet McNaught pictured from Whitstable



RING OF FIRE: The planet Saturn and two of its moons





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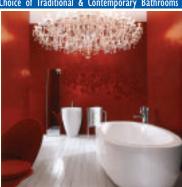
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FLOODING: Downpours last August caused problems in Whitstable – now steps are being taken to ensure no repeat

Town urged to prepare for flooding

MORE floods are on the way for Whitstable, according to the Environment Agency, which is urging householders to prepare for the worst.

Heavy rain last August left many people in the town bailing out water from their homes. Blamed initially on an antiquated and fre-

Blamed initially on an antiquated and frequently blocked drainage system, the problems continue to remain a threat — exacerbated by global warming and rising tides.

And with thousands of homes in the main danger area should the sea walls be breached, the Environment Agency was keen to highlight the dangers and what steps should be taken.

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The agency held a road show at B&Q on the John Wilson Business Park on Saturday. David Bonner, its regional flood forecasting manager, said: "The extreme rainfall that we

manager, said: "The extreme rainfall that we saw in 2007 is likely to become more frequent as we feel the increasing effects of climate change.

"Only half the people in the flood warning zone in Whitstable have signed up to our flood warnings service and it is important that all those at risk are kept informed.

"There are some very simple measures you

BY **GARETH ARNOLD**

can take to limit the damage. The roadshow was designed to allow people to talk to our experts and learn how we can help make these vital preparations to protect them, their homes and their helperier."

their homes and their belongings."
The Environment Agency says nearly 3,000 properties in the town are at risk of flooding.

You can find out if your home is at risk from coastal flooding by logging on to the Environment Agency's own website at — www.environment-agency.gov.uk.

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According to the site, properties from Island Wall through to Tower Parade – and as far inland as Belmont Road – could be at risk

risk.

If at risk, you can register for the free Floodline Warnings Direct service that provides flood warnings by telephone, mobile, email, fax or pager whenever a flood warning is issued in the area.

The Environment Agency also provides the 24-hour Floodline 0845 988 1188 service. Flood warning information can be obtained for the area, or an operator can give advice over the phone 24-hours a day.

Attraction celebrates **VIEV**

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visitor attractions.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

College appoints PR man from Invicta FM

AFTER two-and-a-half years promoting Kent's biggest radio station, Invicta FM, marketing chief Richard Roberts is swapping music tracks to take on the role of marketing and communications manager at Canterbury College.

With the multi-million pound redevelop-

With the multi-million pound redevelopment of the college's campus, Mr Roberts will be responsible for building on the success already achieved over the last few decades as well as stronger growth in new media opportunities, the business-to-business portfolio and conference facilities.

Mr Roberts said: "Tve had an amazing time over the past couple of years working with a great team at Invicta FM and have been involved in things I never thought I would. "I am delighted to be taking up this posi-

"I am delighted to be taking up this position and truly excited to be joining the team at Canterbury College. I see it as a great opportunity to develop further the strong relationships the college has with its customers and communities and to deliver a great range of products and services that meet their needs."

Man beaten around the head with wooden bat

POLICE are appealing for witnesses to a violent assault which left a 22-year-old man needing hospital treatment after being bludgeoned over the head with a wooden bat.

The injured man, from Romford in Essex, was taken to the QEQM Hospital, Margate, where he needed stitches for a head wound.

The incident took place at $9.50 \mathrm{pm}$ on March 2 near the JobCentre in the High Street.

A local woman, 20, and man, 21, have been questioned and released on police bail until April 8.

Call PC Rob Goodban on 01227 868281 or Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.

Your can kick the fag habit with Stop Smoking Day

A STRING of events will be taking place in and around the district today to mark National Stop Smoking Day.

National Stop Smoking Day.

The Eastern and Coastal Kent Stop Smoking Service will be leafleting at the Tesco store in Whitstable from 10am, the Sturry Road Asda store in Canterbury from 10.30am, and at Kent and Canterbury Hospital throughout the morning.

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Meanwhile, the London Bus Theatre Company will be at the St Thomas Roman Catholic Primary School in Old Rutington Lane to team up with the service and Canterbury council to perform the Kick It workshop to Year 6 pupils.



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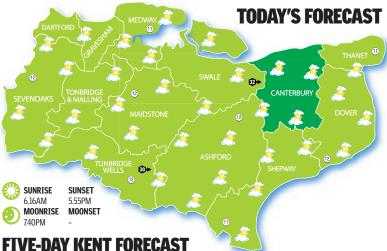


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WEEKEND

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	Sunday	3:48pm	5.7m
Dungeness	Saturday	2:48pm	7.1m
	Sunday	3:43pm	6.5m
Ramsgate	Saturday	3:18pm	4.7m
	Sunday	4:18pm	4.3m
Sheerness	Saturday	4:23pm	5.3m
	Sunday	5:13pm	5.0m
Whitstable	Saturday	4:19pm	4.9m
	Sunday	5:07pm	4.6m



WORLD YESTERDAY

Amsterdam	7°C	Madrid	9°C
Athens	16°C	New York	3°C
Barcelona	13°C	Paris	6°C
Beijing	16°C	Rome	13°C
Bombay	30°C	Sydney	26°C
Cape Town	25°C	Tenerife	22°C
Cardiff	3°8	Tokyo	9°C
Gibraltar	15°C	Vancouver	10°C
Hong Kong	22°C	Warsaw	9°C
Las Palmas	20°C	Wellington	16°C

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Trees down as winds reach up to 80mph

DOZENS of trees have been flattened around the district and flood warnings were issued as high winds battered Kent this week.
Police received a number of calls from con-

cerned motorists and householders on Monday and Tuesday about trees down or threatening to fall in the high winds.

Whitstable and other coastal areas were on flood alert as several factors combined to create a serious risk of flooding.

And since 7.30am on Monday callers were reporting tree damage at the top of St Stephen's Hill, Canterbury; Stone Street at Petham; Broadway, Waltham; Broad Oak Road, Canterbury; Bigbury Road, Harbledown; Island Road, Upstreet; Bridge Road, Bridge; Westgate Court Avenue, Canterbury and Grove Road, Grove.

Debris falling from a property in Watling Street, Canterbury, was also reported.

Officers were working with the Highways Agency and Kent County Council to deal with

Winds reaching speeds of up to 80 miles per hour, combined with heavy rain, created hazardous travelling conditions across Kent and the Channel.

Most trains were running at half their normal speed and buses were put on standby at key stations in the event that some rail servic-

es got suspended completely.

Due to the weather and the SeaFrance officers' strike in Calais, Operation Stack was in force again on Monday creating further disruption for freight travelling to the Continent and to the county's motorists.

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QUESTION & ANSWER

JOHN KEMP



Now did you get into astronomy in the first place?

Tve always been interested from such an early age that I've no idea if anything prompted it; it just seems to be an innate part of my character. But I did very little about it till 1993 when, at 51, I blew an unexpected legacy on a large telescope, which, though I've modified and upgraded it since, remains my main instrument. The night sky is very beautiful. Looking at it, with naked eye, binoculars, or a telescope, is an aesthetic, indeed religious, experience. We are losing it, with all the light pollution around these days. I've been, in a small way, able to counteract this by helping draft Canterbury council's supplementary planning guidance on outdoor lighting. And I'm fascinated by simple observations that tell us something very profound about our universe. Consider Olbert-Paradox; if the Universe were infinite and uniform, we would see the surface of a star wherever we looked; the whole sky would be as bright and hot as the surface of the Sun and we would n't – couldn't – be here!

Consider being in the middle of a wood. The bigger the wood, the less gaps through to the edge you could see. In an infinite wood, you would see no sign of blue sky at the edge; same reasoning. That doesn't tell us exactly what the Universe is, but it rules out a lot of possibilities.

Can you describe how people react when they look at your photos or come to a meeting and look up at the stars?

People love the photos but I'm pleased to say they love the view through the telescope even more. Your first telescopic view of Saturn's rings – or the Moon or the Great Nebula in Orion, or a large globular cluster – will stay with you and you never tire of seeing them. And it's a privilege to be able to share this enjoyment with those without a telescope.

Why do you think people are so fascinated by outer space?

It puts us in our place. We all need this, whether we acknowledge it or not.

Any advice for aspiring stargazers?

Don't buy a telescope. Not until you've seen what is around, and have some idea what you can do with various types. Come to SEKAS' public observing sessions. There's a lot of rubbish at the lower end of the market, but you don't need to spend a fortune if you know what you are doing, and there's bargains secondhand too. In general, don't give or ask for telescopes as presents; it's far to easy to get it wrong. You need to choose your own when you've saved up and know what you are doing. If you buy secondhand wisely, you can sell for what you paid for it if you need to.

What is your most interesting shot to date?

A It is the crash of fragment G from comet Shoemaker-Levy 9 onto Jupiter in July 1994. It was, for me, just before the digital age and was taken on Kodachrome film using a one second exposure at prime focus through my telescope. No-one knew what to expect from this unprecedented event.

Many professionals thought nothing would

Many professionals thought nothing would be seen, at least by amateurs. As it was, we saw it all happen with our own eyes, and quickly swapped eyepieces for camera bodies. The image of Jupiter was less than 2mm across on the slide, but has benefitted enormously by recent scanning and computer-enhancement. The brown dust cloud from the impact is very clearly visible, along with the cloud belts that run parallel to Jupiter's equator.

What equipment do you use to get your shots?

I have a Newtonian reflector with a ten-inch mirror, a typical piece of kit for the serious amateur. It is on a mount which drives it to keep pace with the Earth's rotation — essential for photography — and has a computer handset which helps point to chosen objects, and is also essential for objects that move against the starry background — all the solar system objects — Sun, Moon, planets, and comets. My most difficult shots are taken with my cheapest camera — £30! — and a cheap webcam for which special techniques have been developed for planetary photography at very high magnification. Amateurs are leading the way here, and one, Christopher Go in the Philippines, has been roped in by the Hubble is too busy with other things.

John Kemp, amateur astronomer and editor of Eclipse, the newsletter for the South East Kent Astronomical Society (SEKAS), talks to **Gareth Arnold** about the sky at night and the mysteries it holds for all of us



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Demand your loctor is clean

PATIENTS and visitors have been urged to challenge doctors, nurses and other healthcare professionals if they think they have failed to wash their hands.

As part of KOS Media's campaign to promote hand hygiene in hospitals, healthcare centres and at home and work, this week the award-winning publisher is asking - have you washed your hands?

James Nash, a consultant microbiologist and director of infection control and prevention at East Kent Hospitals Trust, was asked if people should feel confident enough to challenge NHS workers about hand hygiene.

"Definitely, they should do," he said. "We encourage patients challenge staff, we have improved but we are good enough yet.

"Hand washing is something that members of the public have a right to expect.

"Some hospitals have been experimenting with a red card system, where a red card is given to a consultant if they come in without washing their hands."

Sara Mumford, director of infection control and prevention and lead microbiologist at Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust,

agreed with Dr Nash.
She said: "Absolutely and I think we should be challenging visitors as well.
"It works both ways, if we are asking visitors

to clean their hands when they come in if they see something they think is wrong they should tell someone in the department so it can be put right there and then.

Using the alcogel provided around hospi tals and washing your hands regularly with liquid soap and water is one of the easiest and best ways to help the fight against potentially fatal healthcare acquired infections such as MRSA and Clostridium difficile.

Dr Mumford was headhunted to work at the west Kent trust in the wake of the damning

BY **JENNA PUDELEK**

Healthcare Commission report into two outbreaks of C diff at Maidstone, Kent and Sussex and Pembury hospitals.

At least 90 patients died from the superbug during the outbreaks and the watchdog's report was highly critical of management,

infection control and hygiene at the trust.

The trust has now reduced C diff cases by 40 per cent and has developed an integrated care pathway for patients with the diarrhoea bug that is going to be used by the Department of Health's C diff Improvement Team as an example of best practice.

By the end of March the trust is on target to

have cut MRSA cases by 50 per cent.

In her previous role as a consultant in com-municable diseases at the Health Protection Agency in Kent, Dr Mumford visited the trust during its second outbreak in 2006.

She said: "Infection control did not have a high profile them. When the outbreak began the infection control team was under-staffed.

"It was not caught early enough and it got out of control before anyone recognised the size of the problem. Now, we've put in a huge

number of strategies to address the problem." The trust has invested £1 million on cleaning with extra staff providing cleaning 24 hours a day and hourly toilet cleaning if there is an outbreak of for example Norovirus, she said. Commodes are cleaned after every use, she

said, after the Healthcare Commission report ed there was a shortage of nurses to clean and empty commodes.

We also restructured antibiotic regulating so that we avoid using broad spectrum antibioti We target antibiotics to a very narrow spectrum that deal with specific bacteria," she said.

Alcogel is available at the entrance to the trust's hospitals, at the entries to wards and at the end of beds, and everyone is encouraged to wash their hands regularly. Dr Mumford said.

An isolation ward for C diff patients is opening at the Kent and Sussex by the end of the month and the Conrwallis isolation ward opened at Maidstone Hospital at the end of November. She said the nurses had become specialists

in dealing with the infection.
Patients are given pro-biotic yoghurts, which

some evidence suggests is beneficial for people with C diff, she added.



INFECTION PREVENTION: Dr Sara Mumford

Uniform behaviour for the NHS and private sector

NORMAN WILLIAMS from Broadstairs contacted us after reading about

the hand hygiene campaign.

He was admitted to Kent and

Canterbury Hospital last year.
"I must say at the outset my treatment and the staff were both of great help to me and I was discharged after

week feeling a lot better.
"However, and there is always a however, I noticed that although alcohol hand washers were in all departments, I rarely saw staff using them to any great extent," said Mr Williams.

He also raised concerns that nurses, kitchen staff and cleaners were leaving the hospital in their uniforms and coming back in wearing the same clothes.

"Last week I attended a private hospital and a nurse told me she had been employed in the private sector for 22 years and had never worn her

uniform to or from work. She said if she was seen doing this she would be dismissed instantly. Surely this could be enforced in the NHS?"

An East Kent Hospitals Trust spokeswoman said a policy was plan-ned stating that staff must not wear uniforms home and would have to pick them up from the laundry at the start of a shift. She was unable to confirm when it would be introduced.



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Chip fat powers DJ to lead radio station's green drive

BY NICK AMES

POPULAR Invicta FM DJ James Heming has put his money where his mouth is and splashed out £500 on a van – powered by chip fat.

The breakfast show co-host has bought the yellow vehicle – which he's coined Le Pomme Frite (French for 'chip') – and after some rather intensive care last week, it finally

roared into life on Friday. The rusting Vauxhall Midi has been converted to run on the fat provided by the county's finest fish and chip shops - with the presenter taking to the streets of the county throughout this week as part of a special feature called James' Chip Fat Challenge.

The mean machine travelled on a tour starting at Westwood Cross in Thanet, to Canterbury city centre, then on to Ashford, Maidstone and concluded in Chatham on

And this morning he was set to be challenged by co-host Ali Wheeler to take the chip van all the way to the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

It is one of a number of stunts staged to highlight the commercial radio station's Green Month – a campaign running throughout March to highlight environmental issues. Invicta FM marketing chief Richard Roberts

said: "James has been having great fun with the van. It has not been without a few hiccups, but it's doing a great job in raising awareness of these important issues.

Everyone at the station from DJs to the news team will be highlighting ways we can all make simple changes to our lifestyle in order to protect the planet.

It all culminates in Earth Hour on Saturday. March 29 - a global switch-off of lights to draw

attention to global warming.

Backed by this newspaper, we urge ALL our readers to join a host of famous landmarks, buildings and businesses all of which will flick the switch on non-essential lighting between



CHALLENGE: Invicta breakfast presenter James Heming (above) behind the wheel of his converted Vauxhall Midi which runs on used fat from fish and chip shops. The van (below) has been specially decorated, so look out for it

8-9pm on the day.

Among the businesses already signed up to plunge themselves into darkness for 60-minutes are Canterbury Cathedral, Gillingham Football Club's Priestfield stadium, Maidstone's Strawberry Moons nightclub and

the University of Kent.

Mr Roberts added: "The lights out is a symbolic sign to raise awareness of the issues around global warming. Imagine standing overlooking Canterbury on the night of March 29 and seeing the cathedral's lights go out.What a fantastic and memorable sight that will be." For more details on the station's plans, log-

on to www.invictafm.com/greenmonth.





GLAMOUR: Movie extras gathered for viewing

Extra special night for stars of Hollywood film

EXTRAS from hit film The Other Boleyn Girl reunited for their very own pre-miere in Canterbury's Odeon cinema this week.

Actors from across Kent met up on Saturday, dressed to impress Hollywood style. With a strict code of cocktail dresses and suits, the supporting artists cele-brated their big night with a bang. Shooting finished over a year ago, with

Kent locations getting a starring role. Dover Castle, Penshurst Place and Knole House in Sevenoaks doubled for the Tower of London, Whitehall Palace and Tudor London.

Many of the performers are still in touch socially, through email and social networking sites. Some have worked together on films shot in Kent since. Wild Child was shot at Cobham Hall over the summer and Is There Anybody There? was filmed in Folkestone in October and starred Michael Caine.

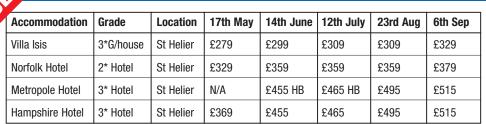
Extras reminisced about working along-side Hollywood stars Natalie Portman, Scarlett Johansson and Eric Bana.

Karol Steele, who played a Seymour noblewoman in the film, was responsible for organising the get-together of all the actors who took part in the film. She said: 'Fifteen months after we finished work on the movie, we are still in con-tact. We always promised that we would get back together to watch the film, and Saturday night was extra special.

"A huge thank to all the staff at the Odeon for laying on so much for us – not only did they offer us free wine and chocolates, but they allowed us a discount on the cost of our tickets – and the display of pictures brought back so many memories for all of us.

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With a cast made up entirely of students, with some of the male roles filled by boys from Simon Langton Grammar



School for Boys, pupils are looking forward to the opening night this Thursday.

Sixth former Stephanie Elliott, company manager for the play said: "The enthusiasm and dedication of all involved makes this a really special production '

The play runs on from Thursday to Saturday, March 13-15 at 7.30pm.

It's question time

IT'S Nosh and Knowledge time at the Archbishop's School this weekend. The St Stephen's Hill school is hosting

the fundraising evening on Saturday.

Tickets cost £5 each or £40 for a table of eight. Organisers say they welcome any number and will ensure everyone is placed in a suitable team.

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Charity contest will drive you quackers

BY **GARETH ARNOLD**

QUACKY racers will be competing in a charity contest on the River Stour in the city this month.

Girls at the Canterbury Interact Club, a charity organisation based at Simon Langton Girls' Grammar School, is holding a plastic duck race down the River Stour in aid of Watoto Wa Orphanage in Kenya, and they want as many people as possible to sponsor their very own competitor. Following the success of last year's event, the

girls will be out in force in the intervening days, scouring Westgate for likely sponsors.

Tia Edwards, 17, said: "Selling ducks was

interesting - people react really differently either they ignore you completely or they buy

The Canterbury Interact Club was formed 2007 by student volunteer Alice Garcia-Rodriguez and has been raising money for numerous projects, such as Shelter Box, ever

Miss Garcia-Rodriguez said: "The Watoto Wa Orphanage in is in need of educational and medical supplies in order to sustain the children they currently take care of.

"It is run by an American lady who, upon visiting the orphanage, decided to live there and run the orphanage. However, her only means of income is from the donations that enable

her to keep the orphanage afloat.
"My sister Louise went on a gap year and helped out there for three months, so that's where the inspiration came from and we knew exactly where the money would be going.

"We hope to raise between £2,000-3,000."

The duck race will be the Interact group's most prominent project to date and takes



QUACK: From left, Charlotte Burford-Newell (Year 11), Tia Edward (Year 13) and Ellie Davies (Year 11) with the ducks

place on Saturday March 22 at noon. It begins on the River Stour next to Habitat and ends by the Westgate. The top prize will be £250, with various other prizes for runners-up.

Each rubber duck can be sponsored for £1,

and girls have been in Canterbury city centre since February 16 between 10am-1pm until the day of the race and at other local events such as the Sport Relief race at the University



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Prices and climate change flood us out of the market

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That same little three-bedroom house would now fetch around £200,000 – putting it out of reach of the first-time buyer even with a generous and over-optimistic mortgage advisor. Remarkably, the price switch dragged the

town's property prices up to Canterbury prices. So then it was Herne Bay which offered – out of the three main towns/cities under Canterbury council rule - the option of getting on the property ladder.

But that conclusion was being drawn by everyone - buyers and sellers - all at the same

time and, with about as much surprise as is generated by England failing to perform well in a major football tournament (ie none at all) the prices there started climbing up – and before you knew it, the equivalent little three-bed terrace also found itself priced astronomically.

Which begs the question; where do the peo-ple who bought those homes and now need something a bit bigger go? The sad answer, is out of the district.

And that's a real shame, because however much we may moan, Canterbury council is generally an excellent local authority, and being able to live close to one of the most famous cathedral cities in the world is a bit of a treat, if we're honest.

Now, I'm sure many of the powers-that-be welcome this much-discussed change. After all, those now able to afford homes in the district are pretty much only the well-heeled and happy to splash their cash in the coffee house and delicatessens which line our streets.

But there is a danger to all of this. The families who have lived in the areas for years now find themselves priced out of the market and left with few opportunities to move up and

stay within their communities.
It is too late to change this situation. Nor is this anything new. But with fractured communities, comes a lack of community spirit. And that is something which must concern us all.

However, as ever, there could be a twist in the tale of the housing revolution.

And it comes in the form of global warming.

According to an event run by the Environment Agency at the weekend, flooding is set to become something of a regular occurrence in Whitstable. Certainly those home owners who watched the waves of flood water lap at their front and back doors last year will not find the news particularly comforting.

Nor will it necessarily attract more former

London-folk who have decided to commute from the sea after trading in their pad in Battersea.
Although they may just find it the perfect venue to moor their boats... so who can tell?

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TALK TIME

CHRIS BICHARD

bus-conversion specialists South East Coachworks, Chris Bichard, discusses the new college of excellence it has set up in Dunkirk, near Canterbury



Are there many companies offering the same service as South East Coachworks?

I'd like to say no as we offer the whole package; converting the vehicle, operating and staffing the vehicles with driver and promotional staff, supplied by v2u Promotions, and after care service such as MOTs and servicing. We have a vehicle that goes out on operational tasks for if there is a problem with any vehicle, storage and maintenance as well.

What is the purpose of the new college?

The college will be offering training in all aspects of coach building, it will help South East Coachworks (SEC) carry on into the future, and bring a new skill base into the industry which is much needed. This in turn will give students the opportunity to join a nationwide industry that, like SEC, would benefit from, and requires a young, newly qualified and skilled labour force. Students will be encouraged to earn as they learn.

Because of our reputation for quality and reliability, our honest approach to clients, and realistic cost and completion dates, often small budget commercial projects have been restricted.

By allowing students to train while on the job the labour costs are lowered and these jobs can still be achieved realistically and professionally, unshackling these restraints.

Which areas will you be taking apprentices from?

We would like make the college a European establishment. We have a French student studying with us at the moment, which is aging very well.

OUR LETTERS



You need to recycle people's attitudes

Pleased to see your paper backing the Earth Hour project but given the fuss people make over simply recycling there remains an awfully big battle to be won to change the way we all live our lives to improve the environment.

G Tobias

I'm not switched on to Earth Hour

While I agree with the move to continue to raise awareness of the issue of the environment, I do struggle to understand quite what turning the lights off for an hour will do to help the issue?

Ian Carr

Take responsibility vourself to be green

Clive Wilkins-Oppler's letter last week was missing the point when it comes to recycling. Yes, packaging should be

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reduced, but why should we not take responsibility to ease the problem? Why should every family not take a stand and recycle? Why should we all wait until goods producers change their way? That's just an excuse to do nothing.

Dave Pearson Via emai

Stop beating round the Bush and care

In last week's letters page Joseph Bates criticised coverage of the US primaries because 'we're not bothered by it'.

Well we should be. We may not have a say in who becomes the next US president, but whether we like it or not that person will have a big effect on the lives of people all over the world.

Or has everyone forgotten about Bush's invasion of Iraq and Afghanistan?

Via email



Sad if creative part of town closed

What a real shame it would be if financially the Horsebridge in Whitstable was to close.

It has become a vital resource for creative talents, while turning that section of the town into a real bonus for the town.

. Fred Watkins

Heads should roll over Horsebridge

How on earth can the Horsebridge be under threat given that it is only four years

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must have done their sums and deduced what would, and would not be financially viable?

To be facing such problems so soon suggests heads should roll.

Kathy Connolly Whitstable

Council should be backing the facility

Why should the council not continue to fund the Horsebridge? After all, it is a major community facility, used by us all and something the council ought to be backing.

Jen Howard

Time to end poverty for the disabled

As the senior campaigns officer for a leading disability charity, I am writing to urge readers to sign up to a major campaign to end disability poverty.

A report just published by our organisation, Leonard Cheshire Disability, shows disabled people locally, and across the UK, are twice as likely to live in poverty as non-disabled people. This is clearly unacceptable and must be urgently addressed by the government.

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Lee Webster Leonard Cheshire Disability

Kent will become like a desert in the future

Unless there is a significant improvement in action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, South East England will be as dry as the Sahara by 2030.

A new report by the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development does not bode well for Kent, as Kent tends to be the driest part of the South East.

South East England is more prone to temperature variations and extreme weather events than other parts of the UK, according to research done for Green MEP, Dr Caroline Lucas. Climate change has two key effects: putting more moisture in the atmosphere which helps to create more extreme weather events; moving climatic conditions northwards leading to

longer dry periods.

Recent history in Kent reflects this: Kent has had a hurricane (1987), exceptional floods (2000) (2007-2008), some of the highest temperatures ever recorded in the of drought (summer 2003) (April

our coastline, especially during storm surges and at high tide in the

Thames Estuary. KCC's Transport Plan states: "Kent is acutely exposed to the likely impacts of climate change given its long coastline, large areas of lowlying land, relatively limited water resources and special landscapes and wildlife."

The Kent Transport Plan also

emphasises the capacity of flooding to disrupt both rail and road networks. It says: "Energy conservation and renewables need re-launching to the public by councils as progress in reducing greenhouse gas emissions has been negligible to date."

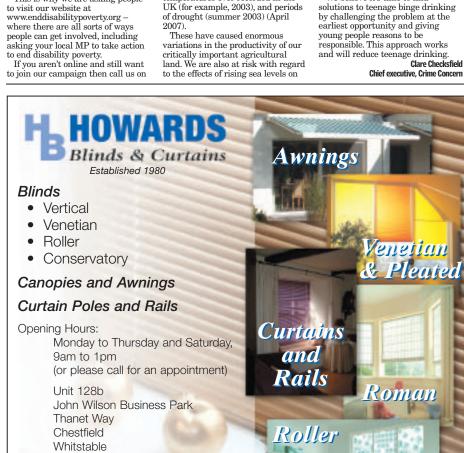
Steve Dawe Press officer. Kent Green Party

Let's find solutions to binge drinking issue

With the issue of binge drinking still high on the news agenda, it would be refreshing to see some discussion of why young people drink and what can be done about it.

Our young people say they started drinking because their friends drank, they wanted to experiment and they were following the example of family and friends. They also say their parents condoned or didn't care about their drinking.

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Mix of genres keeps Los Salvadores' fans quessing

BY NICK AMES

WITH RADIO 1 airplay and a national tour in spring, Los Salvadores are out to prove that 'weird' works with their unique brand of fast multi-genre mayhem.

The six-piece, who practise in a north Kent air-raid shelter, started out as a folk-punk band, but varying influences have moulded a sound built from a variety of disparate genres. Guitarist Marf said: "It's now a bizarre amalgamation of genres forced together to

form jagged-edged-sing-a-long-folk-rock-core." Incorporating elements of ska, post-hardcore

and dance, the band include mandolin, banjo and keyboards, as well as the more usual bass and guitar.

Combined with aggressive beats and ex-

treme dynamics, audiences are never quite sure what is going to happen next.

Over the last month Los Salvadores' debut

album Attack Of The Clones has been reviewed in several national music magazines, getting four out of five in Big Cheese.

And despite their unpredictable song con-

struction, the band have become known for writing sing-a-long anthems, some of which have even been covered by other local acts like the Big Fish Community Band on the Isle of Sheppey.

Marf explained that this accessible element has always been an important part of the band's ethos.

He said: "Every time I see someone I don't

know singing along to our songs at a gig, it means so much to me and is extremely humble and

Earlier this year the band were noticed by Radio 1 punk DJ Mike Davies, who has since



BIG CHEESE: Los Salvadores' Marf has big plans for the future, including an upcoming tour

been playing tracks from Attack Of The Clones

on his late-night Lockup show.

Los Salvadores currently gig mainly around Kent and London, but with a tour taking them from Plymouth to Leeds booked in April, they are keen to spread the word farther afield.

And there is more planned for the future, we are assured.

Marf said: "We've booked into a great studio in Reading – the same one Enter Shikari used for their last album – for the beginning of

"The plan is to get ourselves the best demo our wallets can afford and send it to every record label, radio station and journalist we can find. Nobody is safe.

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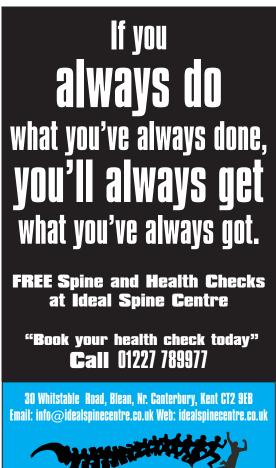
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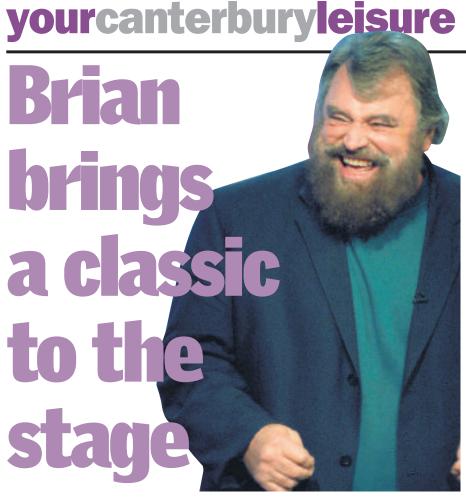
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Children's favourite Peter And The Wolf will be enthralling families at The Marlowe

NATIONAL treasure Brian Blessed makes a welcome return to Kent next week with a classic children's tale.

Prokofiev's Peter And The Wolf has been delighting audiences since it was first performed in Moscow more than 70 years ago. Now a new interpretation receives its UK premiere at Canterbury's Marlowe theatre, with Blessed appearing as the narrator.

Blessed appearing as the narrator.
Peter And The Wolf was created in 1936 when Sergei Prokofiev was commissioned to compose an orchestral work that would appeal to children, using a musical theme for each character.

The story was inspired by his own childhood and follows the adventures of a young boy who tries to catch a vicious wolf, against the orders of his grandfather. Aided by his three friends – a bird, a duck and a cat – Peter sets out to capture the beast.

Since then it has become one of the most loved and celebrated of Prokofiev's works. This full-length theatrical production has been created and directed by Anne Geenen, from Whitstable, who has composed a simple and subtle story to introduce the characters to audiences.

Choreographed by award-winning Didy Veldman, it also has a new score for Act 1 by Philip Feeney – who composed Northern Ballet Theatre's Hamlet – and text by Abi Brown. With his unmistakeable voice, distinguished actor Blessed will undoubtedly add some magic to the production. While his booming voice, large beard and huge charisma have led to him being cast in many Shakespearean roles, Blessed has proved to be extremely versatile.

MAGICAL: Peter And The Wolf is coming to Kent; it's narrated by Brian Blessed (top)

He first made his name in the TV police drama Z Cars and his long list of credits includes starring roles in Star Wars: The Phantom Menace, Andrew Lloyd Webber's Cats and the cult classic film Flash Gordon. He also showed his funny side as King Richard IV in the first series of Blackadder.

The actor also has a keen interest in nature, supporting several wildlife charities.

Not content with having adventures on the stage and screen, Blessed has also tackled Mount Everest three times, though he has yet to reach the summit. He has climbed Aconcagua in Argentina and Kilimanjaro in Tanzania.

His voice was put to good use when he appeared on Celebrity Stars In Their Eyes as Pavarotti, while the Newcastle United fan also used his considerable football knowledge to become a TV pundit during the 2006 World Cup.

Watch him at work in this magical show, which should be an unforgettable experience for all the family.

Tickets are priced from £12 to £21.50 (concessions available) and there are various performance times. Phone the box office on 01227 787787, or book online at www. marlowetheatre.com.

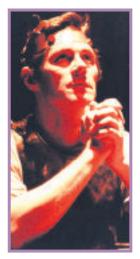
PETER AND THE WOLF Friday to Sunday, March 21-23 The Marlowe Theatre, Canterbury











HENRY V - LION OF ENGLAND Thursday, March 13 Gulbenkian Theatre, Canterbury

THE morality of war and provocation is explored by one actor in an adaptation of one of Shakespeare's finest historical plays.

Henry V – Lion of England is performed by writer/director Nick Hennegan of the Maverick Theatre Company and has been described by critics as "a tour de force" With a supporting cast composed of just lights, sound, special effects and an original live music score, Hennegan explores the topical issue of who holds the rights to a moral war.

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Shakespeare's original text, the play begins with a mod-ern chorus which takes the audience back to the dangerous days of 1415. Provoked by an insulting gift of tennis balls from France's Prince Dauphin, King Henry of England sets out to invade France. The two young men even-tually meet in a bloody war that climaxes with the Battle of Agincourt.

With themes that are as relevant today as they were hundreds of years ago, the play promises to be an exciting evening of gripping and innovative theatre.

The performance starts at 7.45pm and tickets cost £12/£10. Call the box office on 01227 769075 or book online at www benkiantheatre.co.uk. www.gul-



SET sail for adventure at the Marlowe Theatre with classic family tale Treasure Island.

The exciting new version of Robert Louis Stevenson's timeless story about peril on the high seas features all the favourite characters and elements.

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TREASURE ISLAND

Wednesday, March 12 to Saturday, March 15 Marlowe Theatre, Canterbury

sets sail to discover the island and make his fortune.

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Presented by the perenial-

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VAUGHAN HAWTHORNE-NELSON Saturday, March 15

Orange Street Music Venue, Canterbury

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He discovered his talent early on and, by the tender

age of 20, he had recorded two albums featuring some of the leading lights of British jazz. These included the likes of Julian Joseph, Jason Rebello, Williamson and Cleveland Watkiss.

Three years ago Vaughan wrote The Freedom Suite, dedicated to a Kurdish friend who was fighting deportation to war-torn Iraq. Last year he formed a new band, Emanon IV, featuring Asaf Sirkis on drums, Robert Mitchell on piano and Malcolm Creese on bass. They will be performing with him at Orange Street.



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For more information visit the venue's website at www.orangestreetmusic.com.

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Coward's Fallen Angels float into the Playhouse

ONE of Noel Coward's lesser known plays, Fallen Angels, will be performed at The Playhouse Theatre in Whitstable

The Canterbury Players present the production, which premiered in 1925 with Tallulah Bankhead and Edna Best in the lead roles. It was revived in the West End eight years ago, starring Felicity Kendal and Frances de la Tour.

Performances will be staged at 7.30pm from Thursday, March 13, to Saturday, March 15. Tickets cost £8. For more details call 01227 760295 or go online at www.thecanterburyplayers.co.uk

Three hardcore reasons to head to your local

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or great acts at the beer Cart Arms in Canterbury on Thursday night, March 13. Visual Offence and The Kick Kick Murder Squad will be appearing, along with self-styled "skiffcore" act Bender Crack Corn. The music starts at 8pm at

the pub in Beer Cart Lane.
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Film festival flick is a Born and Bred success

A BEREAVED man abandons the city

A BEREAVED man abandons the city for frozer Patagonia in the striking drama Born and Bred (certificate 15). Showing as part of the University of Kent's Pestival Latinoamericano, Pablo Trapero's film follows the story of a family man who retreats to the wilderness when

his life turns upside down.

The film will be screened at the Gulbenkian Cinema at 6.50pm on Monday, March 17. Tickets cost £6/£5. Call the box office on 01227 769075 or book online at www.gulbenkiantheatre.co.uk.

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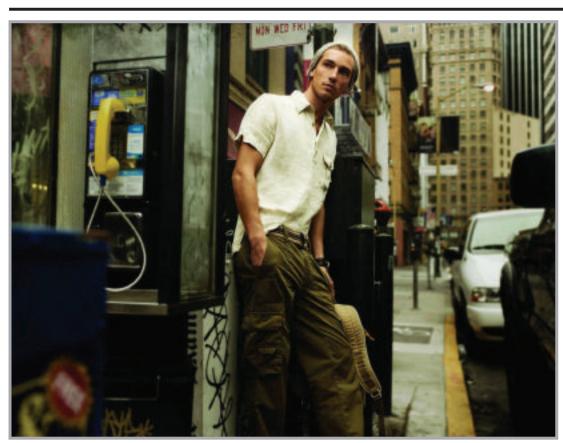


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It'd be criminal to miss Bluewater book signing

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Lee Child has written international bestsellers and he will be signing copies of his new book, Nothing to Lose, at Waterstone's on Monday, March 31. It was reported last year that his novels featuring the Jack Reacher character sold at a rate of one every second.

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YOUR TV REVIEW

BY TOM BETTS



ROCK RTVALS

ITV1, 9pm, Wednesdays

ITV has a real talent for pointless drivel.

Just when the residents of our green and pleasant land had found comfort from the fact that Dancing on Ice was nearly at its end, the channel foist its latest white elephant on us

Yes, welcome to Rock Rivals, where all sense of plot, characterisation and credibility is tossed out of an open window for the sake of cobbling together an "idea" in the hope

someone, somewhere will watch it.

Down at the imitation X-Factor studio, ex-EastEnder Michelle Collins (groan) is doing her best Sharon Osbourne impersonation while her and her fellow judge and other half, Mal (a Simon Cowell clone but in less expensive T-shirts) is making moves on a nubile TV production girl, only getting caught backstage at the off air after party (don't you just hate it when that happens!)

Elsewhere behind the scenes some bloke is doing a bad Louis Walsh take off but no one cares about him. A case of art imitating life perhaps..

Post talent show romp it's good looking people, tears, revenge, shouting, sex, heartbreak, and corny soundtrack all the way.

What, you mean you guessed? Naturally, it's all dreadful bilge dressed up in a hefty budget, bright clothing and bucket loads of hair product but then that was to be

Obvious plotlines aside, what's most surprising about Rock Rivals is the fact this is little more than a tired, blatant re-hash of Footballers Wives.

They say imitation is the greatest form of flattery, but television



OFF KEY: Michelle Collins in ITV's Rock Rivals

executives who commission this trash clearly think us viewers have little or no memory and will swallow any old bunkum.

In doing little more than recycling a programme that's been dead for a year they show a mass contempt for their audience that borders on the

Resurrecting a show that had been clambering into its own grave a whole four series after it first began,

smacks of extreme desperation. Meanwhile tired cliché follows tired

In a fit of rage, Collins loses her head and drives a Ferrari into her lover's swimming pool while the Cowell-a-like smooches on a sunbed with his younger, blonder mistress

Next week they're going to get really original and toss a television out of a hotel window One to miss this

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BY RUSSELL GRAN



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SAGITTARIUS (Nov23-Dec21) SURPRISING news on the home front could prompt you to start house hunt-ing. Somebody close to your heart or home could find the perfect place for you. If you need more money, you can make a powerful argument for a raise. You're probably overdue for one.

• To find out more about what the stars have in store call Russell on Sagittarius 09067-531760

ARIES (Mar 21-Apr 20) RETREATING from the public eye is a good idea right now. The past month was full of parties and meetings. If you keep going at this pace your per-sonal and professional lives will suffer. Make a concerted effort to spend more time at home, espe-cially if you have children.

. To find out more about what the stars have in store call Russell on Aries 09067-531752



• To find out more about what the stars have in store call Russell on Cancer 09067-531755

LIBRA (Sep 24-Oct23) A JOB opportunity could come out of the blue. You're tired of focusing on money so it will be a relief to help people without having to worry about turning a profit. Trust a child's version of events over an adult's. Your young friend is a much more Your young friend is a much more

• To find out more about what the stars have in store call Russell on Libra 09067-531758

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 20) YOU could be on the receiving end of some amorous attention. If you're already in a relationship, you may want to form a business alliance with this character. Expended is with this character. Everybody is terrified of earning your disapproval, but don't forget to praise those who have done a good job. . To find out more about what the stars have in

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CRYPTIC CLUES

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10 Wave put into one's hair (6)

11 Shame unit's disbanding despite the keenness (10)

14 Trader was stout (8)

15 Careful mariner went round seabird (6)

16 Guarded, having received stolen goods (6)

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23 One enjoying cruelty is unhappy first (6)

24 Figure on target removed (8)

25 Round off feast with vegetable (4) 26 Transported partner due to go round (10)

2 Backward deer (4)

3 Bird had drink on lake (4)

4 All in exam of greatest stature (7)

5 Smoked fish left in hat (7) 6 Spike's handy cover - sound device (7)

7 Gave up heart? (4,2,4)

8 Des remarks about clothes manufacturer (10)

12 It's paid by those who have gone too far, it's gluttony (6,4)

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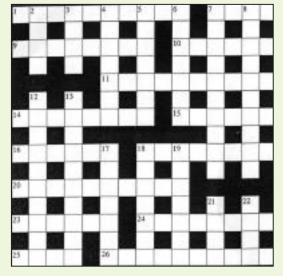
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ACROSS

1 Overall scheme (6,4)

7 Pav increase (4)

9 North Wales island (8)

10 Signal-fire (6)

11 Companion of Robin Hood (6,4)

14 Finished (8)

15 Lascar (anag.) (6)

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4 Settle (7)

5 Baby clothes (7)

6 Ban rule (anag.) (7)

7 Adapted again (10)

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13 First offer (7,3)

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Answers to all of this week's timeout quizzes can be found on our website

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Pop down to the port for holiday exhibition

BY NICK AMES

HUNDREDS of people are expected to flock to the first Kent Travel And Leisure Show on Sunday.

The show, supported by Visit Kent, show-cases the many tourist attractions across the county, from theme parks to country homes and castles.

There will also be exhibition stands covering the different means of transport from the county, including holidays and city breaks from Kent International Airport; cruises from Dover; and short breaks to France by rail and sea.

Some 90 companies will be represented at the show at Dover cruise terminal and there will be a variety of presentations throughout the day.

Cruising has become an increasingly popular holiday choice, with an increased amount of cruise lines operating from Dover and a wide choice of destinations.

Most of the major cruise companies will be represented at the show.

Cross-Channel travel will also be featured, both in terms of carriers to France and French tourism opportunities. Kent International Airport is increasing the

Kent International Airport is increasing the amount of destinations available from Manston, and details of these and future plans for the airport can be found at the show.

Attractions across the county and hotels will also be well represented, with many exhibiting and offering exclusive show discounts.

Exhibitors will be on hand to provide advice in their specialist fields and there will be theatre-style presentations throughout the day. Fran Warrington, head of tourism for Kent



HIGH SEAS: The Black Prince cruise ship from Fred.Olsen Cruise Lines, which sails from Dover Cruise Port

County Council, said: "This is an important event for the county's leisure, hospitality and tourism businesses.

"We will be showcasing the very best of our industry and outlining exciting plans for tourism in Kent, which will see us going from strength to strength in the run-up to the London Games in 2012 and beyond.

"Kent has a fine reputation as a visitor destination.

"We are building on that reputation and taking every step to grow our tourism businesses for a sustainable future.

"With its stunning coastline, Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty and internationally renowned castles, gardens, cathedrals and historic houses, Kent has so much to offer visitors of all ages from home and abroad – for a day trip, a short break or a longer holiday."

For the children there will be face painting, balloon modelling and a magician. Food and drink will be available at the venue throughout the day.

Visitors will also have the chance of entering a free prize draw, with about 20 prizes available, including a cruise with Fred.Olsen Cruise Lines

Admission is free and there is ample free parking. The show is open from 10am until 4pm.

FACT FILE

Holiday details

Dover Cruise Port is expecting a record number of visits from ships this year – with 10 per cent extra dockings booked compared with 2007.

A new customer to the port will be Carnival Cruise Line, which will be venturing into the northern European market with its new SuperLiner class ships for the first time.

Carnival Splendor, currently under construction, will become the largest cruise ship to berth at the port, with her capacity for more than 3,000 passengers offering a programme of seven cruises following her arrival in July

July.

Four liners in the MSC Cruises fleet will be operating from Dover as the Italian operator increases its presence in northern Europe, including MSC Armonia with a programme of 14 visits.

The newest in the MSC fleet, Poesia, is being christened at the port in April.

christened at the port in April.
Leading the way in terms of ship visits will be Fred.Olsen Cruise Lines with new fleet addition Balmoral, plus Black Watch, operating a total of 35 departures.

plus Black Watch, operating a total of 35 departures. Saga Cruises retains a strong presence with Saga Rose and Saga Ruby offering 14 sailings, while another frequent visitor will be NCLs Norwegian Jewel operating a programme of 13 itineraries.







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DIARY OF THE DEAD (18)



George A Romero returns to his low budget, querrilla film making roots, shooting this latest brush with the slavering undead from the perspective of a group of students who use their camera to document bloody encounters with the flesh-eating denize

Playing a real scarlet woman

BY **ROBIN WALKER**

NEW Yorker Scarlett Johansson seems to have a thing about playing British royals at the moment.

In The Other Boleyn Girl she plays Mary, Henry VIII's mistress who is believed to have produced his son, but never made it to queen. That honour went to her sister Anne, played

by Natalie Portman, who was later executed for her efforts.

Then later this year she'll pop up as the ill-fated heroine in Mary Queen Of Scots, who was born a year after Mary Boleyn died in 1543.

"It's kind of interesting because this takes place some time later but is the same blood-line, so I guess I'm playing a distant cousin of myself," ponders Scarlett of her latest role. "It's a little bit twisted."

The luminous Danish-American star admits

she only got a smattering of British royal history in her American education.
"I remember learning 'divorced, beheaded, died, divorced, beheaded, survived', that's what I learned about Henry VIII, but it was never fully explained," she laughs.

"Maybe because Natalie and I are both involved with this project it'll entice the younger generation and spark their interest in the subject, because it's a fascinating time in

The Other Boleyn Girl is written by Peter Morgan, of The Last King of Scotland fame, and based on Philippa Gregory's best-selling fictional account of Henry's sordid court – it is also the film debut of English television director Justin Chadwick.

It was filmed at several historical houses and beauty spots across England, including Penshurst Place, Dover Castle and Knole House in Sevenoaks.

The Boleyn girls were two sisters of noble

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birth who ended up rivals for the notorious Henry, with Anne making it to queen but losing her head - and Mary fading into contented anonymity with her commoner second hus-

There's debate as to who was older, but Mary was credited to be the prettier and Anne the more sophisticated.

Mary famously caught Henry VIII's eye first and her affair with him was a court scandal at the time.

"I think Mary's happy to be in the king's favour all of a sudden. She gets swept away with the grandeur of it all. I tried to bring that out in my performance, that she was ambitious at the beginning," says Scarlett.

Pulling off a good English accent was a major hurdle, one she just about masters. "I've



spent a lot of time in London and having family there was helpful to me. But it's definitely something you want to nail early so you don't have to think about it when you're working." In her own life, Scarlett, 23, is rumoured to

be getting engaged to current boyfriend, 31-

year-old Canadian actor Ryan Reynolds.

Adding another string to her bow she will release her debut album later this year, singing ten Tom Waits covers and an original song under the title Anywhere I Lay My Head. Is this a break-out career move?

"Who knows, I don't have any expectations about it," she says. "I just love to sing.



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BIRTHS

ALLBUT-KENTISH

Nicole Olivia Allbut-Kentish born on 2nd February 2008, weighing 8lbs 1oz, daughter to David and Christine in Ryarsh.

BAILEY

Richard and Alicia of Herne Bay are pleased and proud to announce the birth of their son, Connor Joseph, on 25th February 2008.

BAKSH

Talen Jack Edward born on 18th February 2008, weighing 7lbs 15oz. Son to Paul and Maria of Woodchurch

BARKER

Paul and Gemma of Sandwich are proud to announce the birth of their son, George Liam, on 7th February 2008. A new baby brother for Alfie and Amelia.

BLACKBURN

Elizabeth and Wayne celebrate the birth of their daughter Chloe Annmarie Blackburn on 10th February 2008.

BROWN

Simon, Clare and William Brown are delighted to announce the birth of Lara Eve and Edward Harry on 12th February 2008.

BROWN

Paul and Kelly Brown would like to announce the birth of their second daughter Téa Lacev Brown, Born on the 27/02/08 weighing

BURREN

Matthew and Katie are delighted to announce the birth of their beautiful daughter Jessica Katie. Jessica was born on 18th February 2008 at Pembury Hospital and weighed 7lb 1oz.

CARTY-HUGHES

James and Amanda celebrate the birth of 7th February 2008 inMargate. He weighed 7lbs 6ozs. Little brother

CHAPMAN

Ruby Ann born on the 20th February 2008 weighing 9lbs 1oz. Daughter to Aaron and Charlene of Hythe.

CHILCOTT

Richard and Sarah Chilcott of Bearsted are oleased to announce the birth of their son Thomas Richard Chilcott on 9th February 2008, weighing

COLES

David and Holly are delighted to announce the arrival of their beautiful baby daughter Faith Catherine Coles. She was born on the 24th February 2008 at 13.13hours and weighed 7lb 11oz.

CROUCH

Jeffrey and Alison are delighted to announce the birth of their son Samuel Charles on 17th February weighing 7lb 2oz. A brother for Oliver George

DADSON

DADSON
Kerry and Sally Dadson
of Maidstone announce
the birth of their
son Harvey James
Thomas Dadson on 21st
February 2008, weighing

DUNCOMBE

Moira and Alastair Duncombe of Weavering celebrate the birth of their son James Edward Adrian Duncombe on 23rd February 2008.

EDWARDS

Gary and Sarah of Aylesham are pleased to announce the birth of their second daughter, Paige Leah, on 28th February 2008, A new baby sister for Brooke.

ENDERSBY

Emma and Ben Endersby celebrate the birth of celebrate the birth of their daughter Megan Martha Endersby on 14th February 2008, weighing 7lb 9oz. Sister to Oliver Walter Endersby.

FACEY

Glendon and Lucie-Jane are delighted to anounce the birth of their son Davante Marcus John on 29th February 2008 weighing 7lb 9oz. A brother for Aaliyah.

FLETCHER

Alexia Sophia Fletcher born on 24th February 2008, weighing 7lbs 10oz. Daughter to Lindsay and Lee in Maidstone.

GADA-RANCHOR

Hits and Tina are very proud to announce the birth of their beautiful daughter Rhianna Isha born on 23rd February 2008 at 6.47 am weighing 7lb 1oz. A warm welcome from big sister Alisha and the rest of the Patel family.

GORTON

Emma and Mark are delighted to announce the birth of their twins Bailey Tom and Natalie Lucy on 20th February 2008 at Pembury Hospital weighing 5lb 6oz and 5lb.

GREENGROW

Kiera Chelsie Louise born on 22nd February 2008, weighing 7lb 9oz. Daughter to Sarah and Paul Greengrow in Hawkhurst, Sister to Luke Spencer Greengrow

HODGSKIN

Hodgskin Louis Michael.A beautiful little boy for Natalie and Russell. Brother of Aliyah born on 22nd February 2008 at Pembury Hospital.

HOLT

Nick and Victoria celebrate the birth of their daughter Olivia Anastasia born on 12th February 2008 weighing 7lbs 12ozs.

HOLWAY

Saffia Eden Holway born on 28th February 2008, weighing 6lbs 11oz. Daughter to Deborah and Max and sister to Finley, Natasha and Toby in

ICKE

Justin and Emma welcome the arrival of their daughter Gracie-May Kathleen, born 13th February 2008 weighing 8lbs 15ozs at 12:05am. Thanks to all our family and friends for all their support.

JARVIS-HYDE

Hayleigh Jarvis and Terry Hyde of Larkfield celebrate the birth of their daughter Brooke Michelle Jarvis-Hyde on 14th February 2008, weighing 6lbs 10oz.

JOHNSTONE

Wesley-James Johnstone was born on 24th February 2008 at five past midnight . Son of Laura Giles and Aaron Johnstone.

MAISEY

Gillian and Carl Maisey of Penenden Heath celebrate the birth of their daughter Evelyn May Maisey on 25th February 2008. Sister to Erin Maisey.

McCULLOUGH

John and Sophia of Hadlow are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Mia Amelie McCullough born 22nd February 2008 weighing 6lb 12oz.

McMARTIN

Andrew and Tryphena McMartin of Broadstairs celebrate the birth of their daughter Katherine Alexandra McMartin on 29th February 2008. Sister to Elinor.

NEWCOMBE

Jodi and Simon are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Morgan Shelby Lo born at pembury Hospital on the 18th February 2008 weighing 7lb 2oz.

PALMER - WEBB

Lacey born on 28th February 2008, weighing 8lbs 5oz. Daughter to Katie and Aaron in

RIGDEN

Daniel and Amy of Whitstable are delighted to announce the birth of their daughter, Isabella Rose, on 22nd February 2008. A new baby sister for Mia.

SAYER

Paul and Sally Sayer of Ashford are pleased to announce the birth of their son Jack William, born on 13th February 2008, weighing 8lbs 3oz. A brother for Amy.

SHARP

SHARP
Craig Sharp and Donna
Beavis of Ramsgate
celebrate the birth of
their son Ryan Sharp on
24th February 2008.

SKINNER

Skinner of Maidstone celebrate the birth of their daughter Annie Lisa Skinner on 10th February 2008, weighing 9lb 4oz. Sister to Leon Skinner.

SMITH

Imogen born on the 24th February 2008. Weighing 7lbs 7oz, daughter to Dean and Louise and sister to Callum and

TAYLOR-SHAFTO

Joshua Phoenix Taylor-Shafto born on 18th January 2008, weighing 8lb 7oz. Son to Samantha Shafto and Mark Taylor of Marden.

TURNER

Rowan and John of Tonbridge are delighted to announce the arrival of Theo Altay Tuncel on 14th February 2008 weighing 8lb 4oz.

WEBB

Donna, Rael and family would like to celebrate the birth of Tabbitha Pearl Webb on 28/02/08 weighing 3lbs 4ozs.

WELLARD

Wayne and Jane wish to celebrate the birth of their son Archie William Wellard who was born on 23rd February 2008 and weighed 7lbs 4.5ozs.

WILLIAMS-

Imogen Sarah born on 21st February 2008 weighing 8lb 6oz a daughter to Sian and Tomas, a sister to Josh and Jack.

WINTERBOTTOM

Kimberly and Sam are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Isabelle Daisy, born on 16/01/08. First grandchild for Angela & Phil and Sharon &

DEATHS

ADAMS

Geoff from Dover passed away 27th February 2008 after a long illness Family flowers only donations to Pilgrims Hospice or Cancer research All enquiries to Dover Co-op Funeral Care.

ALDRIDGE

Joan Nellie Aldridge of Garlinge, formerly of Maidstone passed away peacefully after a short illness on 1st March 2008, aged 84.

BOTTOMS

Roy Edward passed away on 28th February 2008. Enquiries to Maskell and Uden Funeral Directors Ramsgate 01843 850042.

DARBY

Ethel Darby died peacefully at Eglantine Villa on Monday 25th February 2008 aged 110. Thank God for a wonderful life. A great character who will be

DRAPER

Ambrose Draper passed away peacefully on the 27th February 2008. He will be very sadly missed by his wife Linda, his children and his many family and friends. Enquiries to Morris and Partners on 01474 334448.

HARRISON

Christian Michael Harrison dearly loved son of Beryl, Ken and family passed away on 28th February 2008. Enquiries to 01843 594094.

HAYDEN

Jean Mary passed away peacefully at her home in Greatstone. Will be sadly missed by her husband John, niece Lorraine and her husband Tom, and friends.

JAMES

Alan Charles "Jake" James of Dover, formerly of Maidstone, passed away peacefully after a short illness on 12th February 2008, aged 65.

JENKINS.

JENKINS
Sarah Ann Jenkins of
Canterbury passed away
peacefully on 2nd March
2008 at Kent and
Canterbury Hospital. Sadly missed by daughter in law Maureen, grandsons David and Roger, and Karen, also great great grandchildren Courtney and Daniel.Funeral enquiries to Lyons of Canterbury.

LORD

Tony Lord of Canterbury passed away on 27th February 2008. The funeral was held on Friday 7th March

MEEKING

Alan Colin Meeking of Trottiscliffe, formerly of Blackfen, passed away peacefully on 1st March 2008 aged 69. To live in the hearts of those left behind is to live

SMITH

Hilda F Smith of Bridge passed away peacefully in her sleep on 28th February 2008.A loving mother to two daughters, two grandchildren, four great grandchildren and one great great grandson.She will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

STURGEON

Adrien Sturgeon died peacefully on 1st March 2008. He will be sadly missed by all those who knew him

TINSON

Edith Annie Tinsor (Chick), formerly of Welwyn Garden Welwyn Garden City Hertfordshire, passed away peacefully at the William Harvey Hospital on 26th February 2008. A Great-grandmother, Grandmother and Mum. Will be sadly missed by sadly missed by everyone.

WESTWOOD

Marjory Rosina passed away on 3rd March 2008.Enquiries to Twyman and Holmes Funeral Directors 01843 852758.

WILLIAMS

Charlie passed away peacefully in his sleep at home in Blean husband of Edith Dad and Grandad Funeral to be held 10th March Barham Crematorium 1.20pm all welcome no flowers please but donations to Great donations to Great Ormond Street Childrens Hospital via Herne Bay Funeral Services 94 Sea Street Herne Bay.

WOOD

Bill Wood of Ramsgate, passed away peacefully on 28th February 2008,



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PROPERTY NEWS

Chancellor urged to scrap stamp duty

THE New Homes Marketing Board is calling on the Government to scrap stamp duty for struggling first-time buyers in today's Budget. David Pretty, chairman of the NHMB

- established in 1982 to promote the benefits to the consumer of new homes said: "I urge the Chancellor to get rid of stamp duty for first-time buyers.

"It would be a welcome boost to hardpressed youngsters and also to the wider housing market.

"The current stamp duty regime now represents an unfair tax on young buyers who can least afford it. The current threshold starts at one per cent above £125,000 and rises to three per cent over £250,000. This may have been reasonable when it was introduced but has been savagely eroded in recent years by house price inflation.

"Now it's a huge extra financial burden on young buyers already stretched to the limit, adding at least £1,750 to a typical first home and over £7,500 in parts of London and the South East. "Increasing the threshold to £250,000

for first-time buyers would take the vast majority of them out of this tax trap."

South East drawing in the pensioners

THE South East is the most popular destination for retirees in 2008, according to the latest research.

SmartNewHomes.com compiled the list

of the top 10 retirement destinations based on searches for new homes over the last six months.

Inland property with good connections to towns and cities has become just as favourable as coastal areas. The bright lights of the city are no longer only attracting young professionals, but also retirees who want a slice of the action and easy access to museums, theatres and shops on their doorstep.

David Bexon, managing director of SmartNewHomes.com, said: "Areas that have been typically popular among retirees such as Devon and Dorset are still ranked in the top 10 because of their seafront activities and surrounding countryside with pretty villages.

"However, compared with data last year which showed coastal destinations topped the wish list, it now shows that bustling towns and villages in the Home Counties are the most highly ranked.'



BIG BUSINESS: Folkestone is one of the coastal towns listed as seeing an impressive revival when it comes to drawing the attention of potential property buyers

Live by the sea, work in the city

COASTAL towns across the county are being hailed as the new hot-spots for property, according to experts.

Last week's Homebuyer and Property Investor Show at London's ExCeL Centre saw Chatham, Folkestone and Margate all singled out as places to see impressive revivals in their fortunes.

None of the places have previously been recognised as boom towns, but regeneration work and better rail links to London which will soon be in place are the main reasons behind the pronouncement.

They have even attracted an industry buzz term – Kent Waterside.

The high-speed rail service will even make them more accessible from central London than outlying districts of the capital.

BY NICK AMES

Chatham, for example, will be easier to get to from the City of London than traditional

prestige housing area Putney.

One insider said: "There is certainly an attraction to many people in London of working and socialising in the capital but having a home by the sea.

"It used to require considerable investments

as this would have meant obtaining a second property. But now the rail service means this is not the case.

"A quick trip down high-speed train lines has got to be infinitely preferable to the same amount of time struggling through traffic, on to a tube, or taking a bus which travels at an average speed of 5mph."

Development of the towns includes the

massive regeneration of Rochester Riverside. the prestige housing set for Kingsgate and the renewed interest in property along Folkestone's Leas.

All the projects are accompanied by leisure facilities and retail outlets.

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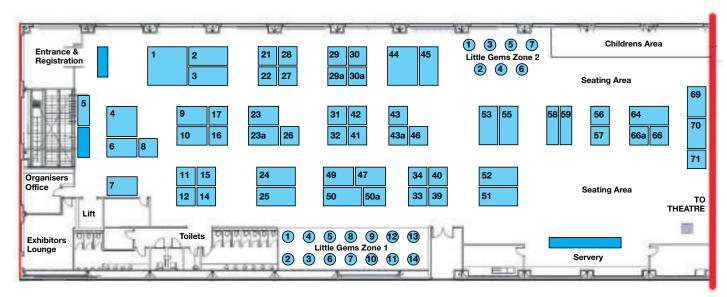
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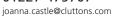
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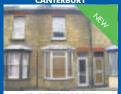




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Grenuine, friendly female, 49, likes walks, gardenine, nights indust, seeking genuine, friendly male, 45-55. Dover Box 435441 ⊕
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New to the area, I'm female, 50, with blonde hair/blue eyes, SIT. Seeking note, outgoing guy who likes meals out, travel, rights in, chema. Box 437028 **⊕**PUTTER IN YOUR HANDS!

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Useful, intelligent, caring female, 62, young looking/acting, like walks, music, cooking, seeking sensitive, caring, un-complicated male, N/S, perhaps a dog owner, for friendship first Box 434345

FUN AND FRIENDSHIP smart woman (68), good personalit enjoy life, and everything in it. I like mals and eating out. Margate. Box 437810 •

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LIFE CAN BE BETTER
Richard, 33, dark hair, blue eyes, medium build, seeks bright, outgoing womar
who likes doing anything, really! Let's
see what happens! Box 429217
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A SMILE IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING
Slim 37yr old male, 6ft, a carpenter, a
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44-year-old man, interests include
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TO SHARE MY LIFE

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Easy-gring guy, genuine, 46, 5li7; slim,
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ne to enjoy life with Box 435333

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Professional male, 48, own home and
car, likes sports, golf, going out for pub
and meals, 2 children, WLTM female fo
fun-loving nice times. Box 436213

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THE BEST MEDICINE

I'm 48, and looking for some fun and laughter again, I enjoy swimming and eating, music and film, want to make that special lady happy. Box 895088

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Thoughtful male, 49, 5'7", slim/medium build, short brown hair, looking for bubbly, outgoing lady to share romantic times. Like wining/dining, country walks

cooking etc. Box 419208 @ Q LIKE A LAUGH AND A JOKE

Young 51, good-looking, young-looking, NS, GSOH, fit, slim, romantic, solvent, caring, likes most things in life; food/wine etc, seeking genuine lady to share life with Box 434593

BIG HEART

BIG HEART Hard working, fit, nice guy, 51, 5ff6. I'm loyal and have a big heart. I have 2 dogs, and enjoy the cinema, cosy nights, eating out. Box 437829 **€** SAUCY SALSA

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Hi, I'm presentable, easygoing, loving,
no ties, 52, seeking a lady for dining out,
live music, dancing, and would love to

live music, dancing, and would love to hear from you. Box 437134 **①**LET'S FLY AWAY
Young 50s male, solvent, retired, would love to meet a lovely lady, for travel, interesting outings and mutual friendship. Box 427700 **①**SIMILAR INTERESTS
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SIMILAR INTERESTS
Kent male, 5ft10, 58, slim. I love jazz, art galleries, theatre, cinema. I'm looking for someone 35-50 ish, who enjoys the same things. Box 430925 •

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Attractive mixed race male, 40, 510°, likes chatting, nights in Looking for female under 41, who lives in Swale or Medway borough, for relationship. Box 895152 ② ASHFORD MAN

ASHFORD MAN
Attractive guy, nice to be with, laid back,
I'm 41, 5ft9, medium/stocky build, brown
hair. Own business and home, enjoys
walks, pubs, wine, restaurants, cinema
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41yr old genuine and understanding male, 518", short cropped hair, enjoy sports, life to the full, looking for lady, madium/large, for friendship, possibly erstanding

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GENUINE GUY SERS GENUINE GAL Hello giris, I'm 34, a single dad, blue eyes, cropped hair, 5f8, love pubs, TV, film, wine, films and sodas, WLTM gen-uine lady for love. Box 437-437 **①** THE GOOD LIFE 34yr old vurino-lockin

34yr old young-looking, shy at first male 5'9", medium build, enjoy life to the full,

59°, medium build, enjoy life to the full, seeking that special someone to share good moments with. Box 435061

LIVE OUT THE DREAM!

34yr old good looking male, 5111°, incle dress sense, GSOH, honest and caring, looking for a nice female to share life with. Box 437971

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Loving male, 33, 6ft, fair hair/blue eyes, sim. I like cinema, theatre, meals out, cosy nights in with a take away, keeping fit. Box 428767 TO COLUMN TERM TO THE CAN BE BETTER

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Hi, I'm 5ft(10, 55) black hair/brown eyes.
I work in London, OHAC and a motor-bike! I'm a family guy and also enjoy going out/socialising, Box 456889 •
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Funny male, 35, blue eyes/blond, medium build, likes football, meals out, country walls. Box 388035 €
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Creative male, 35, 6ft, slim, dark
hairfeyes, loves music, travel, history,
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FIRST-TIMER, BE GENTLE!
Attractive male, 37, medium build,
enjoys countryside, travelling, children,
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stim/medium build with similar interests
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LOVELY BUBBLY

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Upbeat girl, 31, bored silly and just looking for friends to go out and have a laugh with, nothing else, Prelerably students in the Cantebruy, Box 95156 SEARCHING MR RIGHT.

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Caring, loving, affectionate female, 30, 5'2", blonde, likes walking, horse riding, animals, seeks affectionate male, 30-40, for lasting, loving relationship. Box 384013

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Honest, single, outgoing female, 31,
5111, loves to go out and stay in with
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CANTERBURY TALE
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WLTM honest, romantic N/S man. Box 432639 **1 THE WONDER OF YOU**38yr old single mum, slim, long hair, love rock music, concerts, bikes, in need of attention, love and respect. Box 897114 **1 2** Hi I'm 33, from Canterbury, non-worker as have heart problems, looking to meet someone who's kind, honest, loving and affectionate for romantic times. Box 436785

NICE SMILE??? Single 36yr old female, like most things Single 36yr old female, like most things in life, very loving and caring, 5'5", cuddly build, good personality, seeking a gentle, considerate man. Box 431286 **3**SECOND THAT EMOTION

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ally old bubbly, affectionate woman with a lively personality, 5'5", like reading, walks pubs, looking for a friendly chap for good times, more. Box 436584
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Mandy, 38, lovely brunette, petite, slim, very tactile, bubbly, professional mum, WLTM honest, romantic N/S man. Box



Sporty female, 50, Hastings-based, 5 blonde/blue, enjoys golf, walking, socising, eating in/out, WITM fun-loving, kind, sporty male, 48-60, 5'10"+, to share life. Box 165367 ■ JOIN THE PARTY! your phone! Chart, swap photos & enjoy cheeky chart on ur mobile! f flirtatious, fun people on your phone!

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MOTORS NEWS



Ford's 'March Madness'

AFTER decades favouring the company car/fleet sector, Ford is chasing private buyers and has launched a '08 New Reg'

The main plank of its 'Mad March' are free upgrades across the highly rated new Mondeo, plus the S-Max and Galaxy MPVs.

However, there are cash incentives and 'specials' such as the feature-packed Fiesta Blue (pictured) from £8,595, while

the heavily revised and now more aggressive looking Focus starts at £11,945.

One of the best deals though is the C-Max 1.6-litre Zetec family holdall from £14,495 – an £800 saving with free Bluetooth and voice control, privacy glass, front fogs, air con and 'Quickclear'



Toyota's little bit extra

TOYOTA is on an 'added value' mission. Last year we saw 'high spec/high value' versions of its RAV4 sporty SUV and mid-range Yaris TR supermini and now we have "comprehensively upgraded" Yaris SR flagships (from £10,995) in 1.3 VVT-i petrol and 1.4 D-4D diesel three and five-door guise.

These now come with touch screen sat nay, Bluetooth connectivity and USB connection for MP3 players, plus exclusive 16-inch alloys, lowered sports suspension, rear roof spoiler, chrome exhaust finisher, brushed alloy gearshift knob and front scuff plates



Chevy slashes a fifth off its prices for '08

CHEVROLET dealers across Kent are offering around 20 per cent off new '08-registered cars from 20-31 March.

This means a possible discount of up to £2,120 on a Chevrolet Lacetti 1.6SX five-

door family hatchback (pictured), bringing CD sound system, air con, remote tell solution and electric windows for just £8,995. The popular and compact Matiz 1.0SE city car enjoys a £1,070 saving to make it £5,795 while the five-door Kalos 1.2 SE supermini is on offer at £6,795.



CHALLENGER: Fiat's Bravo, with its impressive line-up of engines, is smart inside and out with abundant stowage and even has a locker beneath the front passenger seat

Applause for Fiat with Bravo's encore

FIAT really took a chance with the Bravo name for its latest Ford Focus challenger.

The Italian word stands for 'congratulations' or 'smart', so Fiat was always riding for a fall

of shart, so riat was anways fulling for a fair if the car turned out to be a donkey.

It already knew that feeling after using the name in the same sector as half of the sloppy BravoBrava double act (1995-2001), succeeded by the equally woeful Stilo (2001-2007).

Talk about pressure... Fortunately, Fiat made it third time lucky and maintained a revival begun by the Panda city car, latest Punto supermini and the retro

The Bravo is aggressively priced and smart inside and out with a dash of Alfa Romeo about the wide low slung stance.

Interior layout and materials are impressive with abundant stowage and even a locker beneath the front passenger seat.

But it is not so much how the cabin looks and works, but more the culture change; Fiat interiors used to feel like they were thrown together in a spirit of 'it'll be alright on the

ROAD TEST FIAT BRAVO

BY STEVE LOADER

STAR QUALITY

Driving appeal	****
Image	****
Space	****
Value	****
Running costs	****
Reliability	****
Green rating	****

Having sorted out the cosmetics – and boosted reliability recently – the Bravo's chassis and mechanicals show that there was not much else wrong at Fiat.

The engine line-up is impressive, including superb diesels.
Unusually for current times though, the

limelight has fallen on petrol options and especially the turbocharged 1.4 T-Jet unit.

Along with VW, Fiat sees a bright future for

small capacity turbocharged petrol engines with lower consumption and emissions most of the time, while punching above their weight when extra pace is required.

Our test car was the 1.4 T-Jet in high spec Dynamic trim with the higher output 150bhp

unit – a 120bhp version is also offered.

The engine mostly revs beautifully although

the turbocharger can be jerky, making this car quite a flier, helped by a well-sorted chassis set up more for sporty handling in the best Italian tradition rather than a cosseting ride. Along with the Bravo's looks, this bodes well

for the eagerly-anticipated Abarth sporting flagship, due later in 2008.



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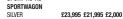
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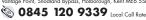
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320 2.0, TD SE, 2004, black, 48754 miles, £11495, Morris Forshaw, Maidstone, 01622 750 442 (TRADE)

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KA, 1.3i [70] 3dr, fv55eto, driver airbag, head restraints, folding rear seats, immobiliser, power assisted steering, radio/cassette, blue, 13377 miles, £4695, SMC Ford Gravesend, Gravesend, 0844 5762452 (TRADE)

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6, TS Tdi 143ps, 2005, grey metalic with black, 25000 miles, £9995, IJM Motors, Strood, 01634 296688 (TRADE)

6, TS D 143, 2006, grey metalic with charcoal, 31000 miles, £10495, IJM Motors, Strood, 01634 296688 (TRADE)

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Lecturer in Health, Social & Ref: P0063

Childcare Programmes Lecturer Grade B: £25,092 - £28,719

The post-holder will be involved in the delivery and teaching of Health, Social & Childcare from foundation to level 3, Ed excel/CACHE programmes. The successful candidate will have proven knowledge and experience within either Health, Social Care or Childcare environments. The department will also consider applications for candidates who are interested in hourly paid or part-time teaching. Please note the closing date for this post is Friday, 10 March 2008.

Marketing & Communications Ref: P0610 Officer

Support Grade F: £23,669 - £30,027

You'll be responsible for managing all the College's internal and external communications, including writing and editing the weekly staff newsletter, press releases, and maintaining the relevant areas of the College website. Additional duties will include writing copy for advertising campaigns in a variety of media and performing other marketing activities

You should educated to HND/degree standard, with excellent verbal and written communication skills and have the ability to work flexibly - often under pressure to meet tight deadlines. Experience in a similar role would be an advantage. Ability to travel between sites is essential.

Assistant Accountants

In order to strengthen the central Finance team and support the College as it progresses through a period of radical change, we are aiming to make three appointments:

Post 1 - Circa £15,000 + Ref: P0605 training package

The successful candidate will work as part of the Credit Control team and will have ACCA/CIMA level 1 qualification or equivalent (e.g. AAT)

Post 2 - Circa £20.000 + Ref: P0606 training package

The post-holder will work with the Financial Management team and will be a part-qualified accountant.

Post 3 - Circa £25,000 + training package

Working with the Financial Management team you will have either recently qualified or be at the finalist stage of your qualification.

All applicants will need to be able to demonstrate recent and relevant knowledge and experience in finance and a good understanding of computerised systems. In return you will be expected to complete a full ACCA or CIMA accounting qualification within a specified timeframe

Ref: P0509 Work Placement Co-ordinator (Term-Time) Support Grade C: £16,199 - £20,324 pro-rata

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic professional to place, monitor and assess students with learning difficulties and/or disabilities in their work placements. The candidate will be able to work with minimum guidance, prioritise work effectively and demonstrate excellent organisational skills. The successful candidate will have a previous experience in a childcare profession e.g. nursery education, health visiting

College Information Services Ref: P0615

or social services

(Fixed-Term to July 2009 15hrs per week) Support Grade A: £11,599 - £16,199 pro-rata

The post will provide assistance to the existing CIS team in auditing information systems. Ideally, the successful candidate will have 5 GCSEs at Grade A* - C or equivalent. including English and Mathematics. The departm also consider applications for candidates who are interested in term-time only working.





Technician in Hair Design Ref: P0044 (Part-Time 18.5 hours per week) Support Grade A: £11,599 - £16,199 pro-rata

We are looking to recruit a highly motivated individual to provide guidance and support to students and assist with the running of various classes. The successful candidate will have good organisational and communication skills and have relevant experience within Hair Design.

Technician in Wood Ref: P0366 **Occupations** Support Grade B: £15,057 - £18,534

As a member of Construction Crafts team you will undertake all support duties associated with craft workshops as directed by teaching or instructing staff. You will have experience working in a relevant occupation and be able to demonstrate good organisational skills.

Administration Assistant/DSA Ref: P0534 (Rochester & Maidstone) (Part-Time 18 hours per week)

Support Grade A: £11,599 - £16,199 You will provide efficient and effective day-to-day administrative support and assistance to at least one department. You will have excellent administrative skills and experience using Microsoft Office applications. The successful applicant will be based at either our Rochester or Maidstone Campus therefore please state your preferred site on your application.

Sessional/Hourly Paid Facilitators Ref: HPS Basic Hourly Rate: £8.93 (£9.98 including holiday component)

Sessional Facilitators are required to work with individuals/groups of learners on curriculum support programmes devised by the curriculum staff and/or CAST Tutors. A clear empathy for learners with learning difficulties and disabilities and good communication skills are essential.

Apprentice in Administration Ref: P0594 (1 year Fixed-Term Contract) Grade A: based on percentage of £9,631

As a member of the Business Development Team you will provide administration support to College stakeholders. The successful candidate will develop competencies to meet NVQ Level 2 Standards of performance.

All posts are full-time (37 hours per week) unless otherwise stated. The benefits of joining Mid-Kent College include generous annual leave, final salary pension scheme, flexible working and on-site gym.

All posts are subject to an Enhanced Criminal Records Bureau Disclosure.

Application forms and further details are available from www.midkent.ac.uk. Alternatively, please call the Personnel department on 01634 845402 (24 hour answer machine) or e-mail job.applications@midkent.ac.uk quoting the appropriate job title and reference number.

Closing date: Friday, 21 March 2008

Mid-Kent College is committed to Equal Opportunities and encourages applications from all sections of the community and welcomes applications from under represented groups including black, minority ethnic and disabled people.



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Canterbury College

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Registry Manager

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £36,365 per annum Post Ref: 04/169/KO5

Interviews to be held on 28 March 2008

Infrastructure Team Leader (Computing Support)

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £23,651 per annum Post Ref: NTL1/KOS

Senior Nursery Officer - Education and Curriculum

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £16,364 per annum Post Ref: 08/04/KOS

Pre 16 Learning Support

25 hrs per week, 38 weeks term time. Salary starting from £16,364 pro rata per annum

Fixed term post ending 31 August 2010 Post Ref: 07/17/KDS

Trainer Demonstrator Sport & Leisure

9.25 hrs per week, salary starting from £18,375 pro rata per annum Post Ref: 08/26/KDS

Learning Support - Basic Skills & ESOL

18.5 hrs per week, 38 weeks term time. Salary starting from £16,364 pro rata per annum

Temporary Senior Administrator for Work Based Learning

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £18,375 per annum Temporary post up to 1 May 2009 to cover maternity leave Post Ref: ATC1/KOS

Temporary Train to Gain Administrator

18.5 hrs per week, salary starting from £14,535 pro rata per annum. Temporary post up to 16 January 2009 to cover maternity leave

Supply NVQ Assessors required in the following areas:

ious hours available, salary range £17,727-£25,418 pro rata per annum

Early Years

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Supply Recreation Assistant

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For an application pack please visit www.cant-col.ac.uk or call the Personnel Office on 01227 811282 (24hr answerphonel quoting the post reference.

The closing date for the above posts is Monday 17 March at 12 noon. Staff benefits include:

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Main duties include:

- Co-ordinate completion and distribution of monthly management accounts.
- Responsible for the accurate completion of monthly P&L expenditure analysis.
- Assist in completion of the year end accounting pack.
 Accurate processing of supplier invoices and employee expenses
 Ensure that all processing is completed in time for month end.

- Reconcile company bank accounts regularly.
 Assist with the development of new computer accounting systems.

CLOSING DATE FOR ALL APPLICATIONS: 15/3/08

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The postholders will support each other in the development of employer engagement and will take operational responsibility for the College's strategy and planning as well as being accountable for meeting employer engagement targets.

The closing date for receipt of all completed application forms is Wednesday 19th March 2008.

For further information, including salary details and an application pack for any of the above vacancies, please contact the Human Resources Department on either 0845 207 8222 (24 hour answer phone), email humanresources@southkent.ac.uk or visit www.southkent.ac.uk

All posts are subject to a disclosure check by the Criminal Records Bureau. We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all employees to share this commitment.

Applications are welcome from suitably qualified candidates regardless of ethnicity gender, age, disability, sexuality or religio



Shepway and Ashford 14-19 Planning Forum Strategic Co-ordinator

. (Leadership spine 16-20 or Soulbury equivalent)

Location Kent, South East

Contract Type 2 year fixed term in the first instance

Kent's 14-19 Partnership is managed jointly by Kent County Council, the Learning and Skills Council and Connexions Kent and Medway, together with education providers including schools, FE Colleges, Higher Education Institutions and Work Based Learning Providers. This partnership operates at local level through 9 Planning Forums, two of which cover the areas of Ashford and Shepway.

Each Planning Forum is responsible for driving forward the government's 14-19 reforms to encourage more young people to continue learning for longer and gain the skills and qualifications they need to progress into further education or employment. Central to the reforms are the 14-19 Diplomas which the Strategic Co-ordinator will play a pivotal role in. The primary focus at this stage is delivery of Diplomas but in due course the Co-ordinator will be the driving force behind the planning forums to ensure an appropriate range of provision is available for all young people in the Shepway and Ashford areas to meet the national 14-19 entitlement.

We are seeking to appoint a committed, innovative and motivated individual. You will be able to demonstrate excellent leadership skills, have good project management skills and successful experience of working in partnership with multiple organisations. Applicants must have knowledge and understanding of 14-19 developments nationally and locally, excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to work independently. The work will be based between Shepway and Ashford, flexibility and willingness to travel is essential.

To obtain a full job description please email Katherine.daynes@lsc.gov.uk or telephone 0845 019 4152.

The closing date for applications is Monday 24th March 2008 at 12 noon. Interviews will be held during April 2008.

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To apply contact:

Amanda Mallett, TV One Ltd. Unit V, Continental Approach, Westwood Industrial Estate, Margate, Kent. CT9 4JG Tel: 01843 873300 Fax: 01843 873301

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Closing date 21st March 2008

Interviews 25th - 28th March 2008

Further details are available by telephone or email from: Miss S Syratley, Pent Valley Technology College, Surrenden Road, Folkestone, kent CT19 4ED, 1EO 1303 277161/Fax 01303 279342 Email: samantha.spratley@pent-valley.kent.sch.uk

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Supply Lecturers are required in the following areas:

Various hours available, salary range £17,816 - £25,545 pro rata per annum Office Skills



Text & Word Processing Post Ref SH/TWP/KOS

Senior Learning Resources Officer

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £20,775 per annum Post Ref S3/KOS

Supply NVQ Assessors/Internal Verifiers are required in the following areas:

Various hours available, salary range £17,727 - £25,418 pro rata per annum

Administration

Customer Service

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Hairdressing

Beauty

Construction

Please specify your area of expertise in your application form Post Ref. SH/Assesson/NOS

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- Pensions and Life Assurance Scheme Sports Hall and Gym
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Post Ref: 08/12/KO5

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We require a dynamic individual to manage the Construction Crafts. provision in the College. It is eisential to have experience of working in at least one area of wood, brick or trowel. The successful candidate will have excellent leadership skills. good oral and written communication skills, a strong focus on

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■ Pensions and Life Assurance Scheme ■ Sports Hall and Gym. ■ Proximity to Mainbus / Train Stations
■ Generous Holiday Allowance

The closing date for the above post is Monday 17 March at 12 noon.

Section Manager Construction Crafts

quality and experience of teaching.

Interviews to be held on 3 April 2008

quoting the past reference.

Staff benefits include:

Close to City Centre

37 hrs per week, salary starting from £32,806 per annum



















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Temporary Section Manager Sports, Leisure, Travel & Tourism

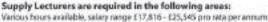
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Lecturer Construction Crafts

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Lecturer Motor Vehicle

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Past Ref: S/Corp/KOS

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The closing date for receipt of all completed application forms is Wednesday 26th March 2008.

For further information, including salary details and an application pack for the above vacancy, please contact the Human Resources Department on either 0845 207 8222 (24 hour answer phone), email: humanresources@southkent.ac.uk or visit www.southkent.ac.uk

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You will have:

- A degree and/or teaching qualification
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- Record of successful leadership of performance improvement and quality assurance in further education

We expect all our staff to be as committed as we are to our Child and Adult Protection policies and procedures. All positions are subject to an enhanced Criminal Records Bureau check, satisfactory references, and a fully checkable work history.

For further information and an application pack, please contact the Human Resources Department at The Royal School for Deaf Children Margate, Victoria Road, Margate, Kent CT9 1NB. Email: hr@royalschoolfordeaf.kent.sch.uk Telephone: 01843 227561.

Closing date for receipt of completed applications: 20th March 2008.

Interviews are planned to take place on 3rd April 2008.

We are committed to equal opportunities and diversity, encouraging and welcoming applications from all

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We are seeking to recruit 1.5 FTE Community Involvement Workers to work across the Canterbury area. You will work as part of multi-agency teams, raising awareness in the community about the range of services on offer in the centres. For those families who do not use the Children's Centres, you will provide important information and access to services. You will ensure that the views of children and their families and those of the wider community are sought and included in the development of services in the Children's Centres.

You will need to have strong interpersonal skills with an enthusiastic, tactful and flexible approach. You will need to demonstrate a clear understanding of how to support the most vulnerable families to access services to improve the outcomes for children. The role will include the co-ordination of the recruitment, training and management of volunteers to support the running of the Children's Centre.

These posts are:

0.5 FTE - Hersden (based at the Neighbourhood Centre) 1 FTE - working across Parkside (Herne Bay) and Briary (on the school site) Ref: CFE/08/0095

To find out more please contact Dion Darley on 01622 626761.

Closing date: midday, 27th March 2008. Interview date: 22nd April 2008.

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Closing date: midday, 31st March 2008

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Closing date: midday, 25th March 2008.

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An application form can be downloaded from the school's website – www.minstercollege.org.uk or alternatively please contact: Mr Chris Swan, Personnel Manager, Minster Road, Minster on Sea, Sheerness, Kent ME12 3JQ. Telephone 01795 873591.

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: 12 Noon on 25th March 2008.

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You will have, in particular: a strong understanding of, and ideally proven experience in, business, including the ability to innovate and generate income; knowledge and experience in a relevant field such as economic development, marketing/retail, business development, the land-based sector or food and drink and experience of all aspects of management and leadership (project, financial, partnership, staff and change) together with excellent communication and influencing skills.

For further information, please contact Stuart Gibbons on 01622 221958 or Mark Lumsdon-Taylor on 01732 853266.

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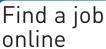


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Please contact the school on 01622 726683 or e-mail office@oakwoodpark.org.uk. Closing date for applications
Tuesday 18th March 2008.



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Closing date 26th March 2008



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PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Teacher

Cliffe Woods Primary School

Cliffe Woods Primary Sch KS 2 Teacher Salary: MPS/UPS Full time and temporary Term of contract: 2 terms Required From: 21 April 2008 Please Contact: Mr Tim Watson Cliffe Woods Primary School View Road, Cliffe Woods Rochester ME3 8UJ Phone: 01634 220822 Email: headteacher@ cliffewoods.medway.sch.uk

Kingfisher Community Primary School

Foundation Teachers Salary: MPS/UPS Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing Date: 18 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs S Ashdown (School Administrator) Kingfisher Community Primary School Kingfisher Drive, Princes Park Chatham ME5 7NX Phone: 01634 865758 Email: headteacher@ kingfisher.medway.sch.uk

Stoke Community School

Stoke Community School
KS 2 Teachers
Salary: MPS/UPS
Full time and temporary
Term of contract: 2 terms
Required From: 21 April 2008
Please Contact:
Mrs Carolyn Cassettari
Stoke Community School
Lower Stoke, Rochester
Kent MES 39L
Phone: 01634 270268
Email:

headteacher@stoke.medwav.sch.uk

Twydall Infant School

Twydall Infant Scribol Year 1 Teacher Salary: MPS/UPS Full time and permanent Required From: 21 April 2008 Closing Date: 25 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs S Fedosiuk, Headteacher Twydall Infant School Twydall Lane, Gillingham Kert MF8 6 illingham Kent ME8 6JS Phone: 01634 231761 Email: headteacher@ twydallinf.medway.sch.uk

Walderslade Primary School

Reception Class teacher Salary: MPS/UPS Full Time and temporary Term of Contract 12 May December 2008 Please contact Mrs a Milne, Headteacher Walderslade Primary School Dargets Road, Walderslade Chatham ME5 8BJ Chatham ME5 8BJ Phone: 01634 861660 Email: headteacher@w pri.medway.sch.uk

Delce Junior School
Year Group Leader
Salary: L1 – 4 (£34,938 - £37,623)
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 28 March 2008
Please Contact:
Mrs Julia Knight, Business Manager
Delce Junior School
The Tideway
Rochester ME1 2NJ
Phone: 01843 4251111 Phone: 01634 321111 Fax: 01634 300063 Email: knigj017@medway.orq.uk

Deputy Headteacher

Fairview Community Primary

Deputy Headteacher
Salary: LS 10 – 14 £43656-£48138
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 14 March 2008
Please Contact:
Fairview Community Primary School
Debbie Willis, Headteacher
Drewery Drive
Wigmore

Wigmore Gillingham ME8 0NU Phone: 01634 338710 Email: headteacher@ fairviewprimary.medway.sch.uk

Burnt Oak Primary School

Deputy Headteacher Salary: LS 3 - 7 Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 17 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs Gill Perry Burnt Oak Primary School Cornwall Road Gillingham ME7 1LP 01634 852991

Hoo St Werburgh Primary School and Marlbourgh Centre

School and Marlbourgh Centre Deputy Headteacher Salary: LS 11 - 15 Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 31 March 2008 Please Contact: Miss Joanne Trickett Headteacher Headteacher Hoo St Werburgh Primary School

Pottery Road Rochester ME3 9BS Phone: 01634 338040 Email: office@

hoo-st-werburgh.medway.sch.uk

Walderslade Primary School

Deputy Headteacher Salary: L5 - L9 (£38,559 -£42,564) Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 25 March 2008 Please Contact:

Mrs Angela Milne Headteacher Headteacher Walderslade Primary School Dargetts Road Walderslade ME5 8BJ Phone: 01634 861660 Email: headteacher@ walderslade-pri.medway.sch.uk

Key stage/Phase Manager

All Saints CE Primary School Key Stage/Phase Manager – KS1 Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR 2b Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 26 March 2008

Please Contact: Please Contact: Mrs Hill (Head Teacher Designated) All Saints CE Primary School Magpie Hall Road Chatham ME4 5JY Phone: 01634 338922 Email: headteacher@ allsaints.medway.sch.uk

All Saints CE Primary School

Key Stage/Phase Manager – KS2 Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR 2b Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 26 March 2008 Please Contact:

Mrs Hill (Head Teacher Designated) All Saints CE Primary School Magpie Hall Road Magpie Haii noau Chatham ME4 5JY Phone: 01634 338922 Email: headteacher@ allsaints.medway.sch.uk

Walderslade Primary School

Value Salder Hillary Schlöd Assistant Headteacher Salary: LS 3 – 7 £36,708 - £40,590) Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 20 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs A Milne, Headteacher Walderslade Primary School

Dargets Road Walderslade Chatham ME5 8BJ Phone: 01634 861660 Email: headteacher@

walderslade-pri.medway.sch.uk

Head Teacher

Maundene School

Head Teacher Salary: L20 - L26 £55,782 - £64,611 Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 14 March 2008 Please Contact:

HR (Schools) Medway Council Civic Centre ME5 7OB 01634 331100

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Teacher

Chatham Grammar School for Girls

eacher of Latin Salary: MPS/UPS
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September
Closing date: 14 March 2008 nber 2008

nar School for Girls Chatham ME5 7EH
Phone: 01634 851262
Fax: 01634 571928
Email: chile001@medway.org.uk

Chatham South School

English Teacher Salary: MPS/UPS Full Time and permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing Date: 14 March Please Contact: Mrs M Chipperfield, Office Manager Chatham South School

Letchworth Avenue Kent, MF4 6NT Phone: 01634 404277 E-mail: chipm002@medway.org.uk

Rainham Mark Grammar School Teacher of MFL Spanish/French

Teacher of MFL Spanish/French
Full Time and permanent
Salary: MPS/UPS
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing Date: 13 March
Please Contact:
School office
Rainham Mark Grammar School
Pump Lane
Gillingham
Kent, ME8 7AJ
Phone: 01634 364151
E-mail: office@

E-mail: office@ rainhammark.medway.sch.uk

Greenacre School
Teacher of PE
Full Time and permanent
Salary: MPS/UPS
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing Date: 30 April 2008 Please Contact:

Mr A J Reese, Headteacher Greenacre School Bradfields Avenue Kent. ME5 0LE Phone: 01634 861593

office@greenacre.medway.sch.uk The Thomas Aveling School

The Thomas Aveling School Teacher of Science Full Time and permanent Salary: MPS/UPS Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing Date: 14 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs Mr r Hart, Headteacher The Thomas Aveling School Arethusa Road Rochester Kent, ME1 2UW Phone: 01634 844809 E-mail: office@thomasaveling.co.uk

Head of Department

The Hundred of Hoo

Comprehensive School Head of Technology Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR 1c (£8,405 per annum) Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 13 March 2008

Mrs Kirsty Cruttenden The Hundred of Hoo Comprehensive School Main Road

Main Road Hoo Rochester ME3 9HH Phone: 01634 251443 Fax: 01634 254323 Email: crutk001@medway.org.uk

The Hundred of Hoo Comprehensive School

Comprehensive School
Head of Art
Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR 1c
(28,405 per annum)
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 13 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs Kirsty Cruttenden
The Hundred of Hoo

Comprehensive School Main Road, Hoo Rochester ME3 9HH Phone: 01634 251443 Fax: 01634 254323 Email: crutk001@medway.org.uk

Greenacre School

Greenacre School
Subject Leader in English
Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR 1b (£9,981)
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 30 April 2008
Please Contact:
Mr A J Reese
Headteacher
Greenacre School
(A Specialist Sports College)
Bradfields Avenue
Chatham ME5 0LE
Phone: 01634 861593

Phone: 01634 861593 Fax: 01634 869246

office@greenacre.medway.sch.uk

Chatham South Head of ICT Salary: MPS/UPS + TLR c Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 14 March 2008 Please Contact: Mrs M Chipperfield Mrs M Chipperheid
Office Manager, Chatham South
Letchworth Avenue
Chatham ME4 6NT
Phone: 01634 404277
Fax: 01634 869246
Email: headteacher@
chathamsouth.medway.sch.uk

The Hundred of Hoo Comprehensive School Senior Vice Principle Salary: L25 – L29 Full Time and Permanent Required From: 1 September 2008 Closing date: 17 March 2008 Please Contact: Please Contact: Mrs Kirsty Cruttenden The Hundred of Hoo Comprehensive School Main Road, Hoo Rochester ME3 9HH Phone: 01634 251443 Fax: 01634 254323 Email: crutk001@medway.org.uk

Vice Principle

The Hundred of Hoo Comprehensive School

School
Vice Principle
Salary: L12 – L20
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 17 March 2008
Please Contact:
Wr. Kirsty, Cruttenden

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Special Schools

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Teacher of General Subjects
Salary: MPS/UPS + SEN
Allowance £1818
Full Time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing date: 14 March 2008 Mrs Karen Watkin Office Manager Gillingham ME7 1UG Phone: 01634 338348 office@rivermead.medway.sch.uk

Abbey Court Community Special School SEN teacher Salary: MPS/UPS + 2 SEN points

Full Time and temporary Required From: 21 April 2008 Closing date: 14 March 2008 Linda Taylor Business Manager Abbey Court School Rede Court Road Rochester ME2 3SP Phone: 01634 338224 Email: office@abbeycourt.med.sch.uk

Elaine Primary (Chalklands Opportunity

Centre)
SEN Teacher (Primary)
Salary: MPS/UPS + 2 SEN allowance Salary: MIPS/UPS + 2 SEN allowance
Part time and Permanent
Required From: 1 September 2008
Closing Date: 29 March 2008
Please Contact:
Lynne Garnham
Headtaecher

Headteacher Flaine Primary School Elaine Avenue Strood Rochester ME2 2YN Phone: 01634 718057 Fax: 01634 290191

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BUSINESS BRIEFS

Filing online couldn't be easier after a little help

HM Revenue & Customs (HMRC) is offering small employers in the South East free help and advice to file online. A series of events will take place across

A series of events will take place across the region in the coming months, ranging from demonstrations of HMRC's online services to short presentations.

They will take place at HMRC's offices in Charter House, St George's Place, Canterbury, on Thursday, March 27, Medvale House, Mote Road, Maidstone on Monday, March 17, and Anchorage House, High Street, Chatham on Thursday, March 13, and Monday, March 31.

To book call 01227 865654.

Attitudes are changing but our actions aren't

FOUR out of five senior UK executives say that climate change is a significant business issue – but the same number admit they don't have a strategy in place to fight it, according to a recent survey.

Latest research by YouGovStone, on behalf of the KPMG carbon advisory group, reveals many business leaders are struggling with the issue – 77 per cent said it will grow in importance – but they are at odds how to tackle it.

However, two out of five executives claimed to have a good understanding of the impact of climate change on their organisation and a further 17 per cent know their organisation's carbon footprint – and have a strategy in place.

Competition: join group, design card, win iPod

SOUTH East Business Link providers are offering iPod Nanos as prizes in a competition open to anyone aged 30 and under to design an e-card online illustrating how they would like to be marketed to.

The competition is free, and is open to

The competition is free, and is open to anyone who is signed on to social networking sites Facebook, MySpace or Bebo. Applicants need to simply ask Warren Ralls of Business Link to be their friend, join the competition group, and then add their idea to the wall. The deadline is Monday, March 31.

Dragon is ready to judge you

THE search is now on to find the most enterprising place in Kent following the launch of the Enterprising Britain 2008 competition.

And heading the judges is one of the stars of BBC show Dragons' Den entrepreneur Peter Jones

Den, entrepreneur Peter Jones.
Run by Make Your Mark on behalf of the Department for Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform (BERR), and in partnership with the South East England Development Agency (Seeda), the competition is now in its fourth year.

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It celebrates and rewards the most enterprising areas in the UK; those places of enterprise excellence that have helped transform the social and economic fortunes of their area. The winner of the South East regional heat will go forward to compete in the national finals of Enterprising Britain 2008, where the overall UK winner will be selected.

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Peter Jones said: "As a judge, I have been extremely impressed by the strength, determination and innovative thinking demonstrated by those people who have used enterprise to transform the social and economic fortunes of their community.

BY NICK AMES

"The Enterprising Britain competition is a great chance for enterprise success stories from across the South East to shine and I urge people from across the region to enter."

Seeda executive director of smart growth, John Parsonage, said: "Over recent years the South East has cultivated a strong enterprise culture and we are looking forward to showcasing our success stories in this year's Enterprising Britain competition."

Last year's winner was Slough Creative Academy, chosen due to its success in helping local people secure employment and set up businesses in creative industries such as film, dance, and music.

such as film, dance, and music.
Entries for the South East's regional competition must be received by Friday, April 18. Once the 12 regional winners from across the UK have been selected, they will be visited by members of a high profile national judging panel, including Peter Jones.

For more information about Enterprising Britain 2008 and how to enter, contact Helen Cook at Seeda on 01483 500784, email helencook@seeda.co.uk or see www.enterprisingbritain.org.uk.



IMPRESS HIM: Peter Jones from Dragon's Den is one of the judges of the competition

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Defeat fells Crusaders in dying seco



GRIPPING: Kent Crusaders (in blue) lost a crucial game against rivals Plymouth

onds sealed a dramatic last-gasp victory for Plymouth Raiders and heightened Crusaders' relegation fears.

The hosts had led by eight points going into the closing stages, but some fearless shooting from the Devon side saw them take maximum points and move ahead of their opponents in Division Two's bottom four.

Crusaders began the game superbly as they ran into a 19-0 lead inside the opening five minutes.

The home side's momentum was

eventually checked by the Raiders, who received twice as many foul shots as the hosts.

The visitors reduced the deficit to 12 points by half-time and turned it

BASKETBALI

Kent Crusaders 74 Plymouth Raiders 76

around to be 51-56 up at the start of

the final quarter.
Crusaders hit back to build another lead, but just lost out in a frantic finish to the match.

Kent coach Mads Olesen was left deflated by the result, which he believes has changed his side's outlook for the final four games of the season.

He told Yourcanterbury: "Looking at the scoreline we are gutted – that game would probably have kept us safe from relegation.

big game. We will probably have to win two or three games now. The last game is probably going to be key."

The Canterbury-based side remain two points clear of the drop zone, but have a game in hand on NEWI Nets, who occupy the second relegation

Significantly, Crusaders are guaranteed to finish ahead of the Welsh side if the teams finish level on points thanks to two wins against them earlier this season.

Neptunes visit this Saturday in the Crusaders' penultimate home game of the season. Tip-off at the Body and Mind Leisure Centre is at 7.30pm.

Hockey teams slump to defeat

CANTERBURY men's hockey first team face a must-win game this Sunday if they are to stand any realistic hope of avoiding relegation this season.

The Premier Division's basement side play second-bottom Hampstead & Westminster at Polo Farm knowing a defeat will all but confirm their fate. Push-back is at 1pm.

The team put on a good performance last weekend against league leaders

Reading, but lost 2-0.
Elsewhere, the ladies firsts slipped to sixth after losing 2-0 to league leaders Slough. They host struggling Poynton on

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Gillingham captain Andrew Crofts on the club's survival chances

Charity effort is comical relief

HUNDREDS of fundraisers are expected to take part in the Sport Relief mile around Canterbury this weekend in aid of Comic Relief.

Similar events are being staged simultaneously across the country this Sunday, with Canterbury's route starting at the University of Kent's sports centre.

Runners can choose to run one, three or six miles, depending on which is most suitable. Money raised in sponsorship goes to help vulnerable people in the UK and the world's poorest countries.

Entry costs £5, see www.sportrelief.com for details. The events starts at 11am.



Delo's determination seals victory for Bay

FOOTBALL

BY DAVID PRITCHARD

Herne Bay 3 VCD Athletic 1

A YOUTHFUL Herne Bay added to their growing reputation by sweeping title-chasing VCD Athletic aside to give themselves the perfect boost ahead of last night's League Cup semi-final.

Five of the starting line-up came from the club's under-18 squad, filling the gaps left by more senior players unavailable due to injury or suspension.

Bay have been prepared to play their young-sters this season and the policy is beginning to pay dividends as the teenagers accrue vital

match experience in the first team.

The home side's three goals came from the pool of youngsters, with Rob Lawrence scoring two poacher's goals and Neil Perkins adding

After two successive defeats, Bay's assistant manager Barry Morgan was delighted with the Delo, who had an excellent game.

He said: "I thought we were the better side, I know they are stronger but football-wise they

couldn't live with us when we got the ball down.

It's an important three points for us.

"Jack Delo should be given a lot of praise. I

said to him before the game we have got no one who can head it really so you are going to have to come and get all the corners and set pieces, and he came for everything."

Bay beat VCD in the League Cup in front of their home fans in December, but few will have

expected to see a repeat result with the visitors chasing the league title.

The hosts took the lead early on when Lawrence pounced on a fumble by the goal-keeper to prod home from six yards.

VCD equalised from the penalty spot midway through the half, but other efforts were thwart-

ed by Delo, who had an inspirational game.

Lawrence put Bay in front on 72 minutes after good work by Ben Brown seconds after coming on as a substitute and the youngster was again involved when Perkins made it 3-1 in injury time. The game showed the club have several talented youngsters capable of improving the first team.

Morgan feels they could be contenders for the

Kent League title next season, but admitted they may have a struggle to prevent some leaving in the summer.



SAFE HANDS: Herne Bay goalkeeper Jack Delo had a superb game to provide the platform for the hosts to win

He said: "If we can keep all those players together for next season and add a little bit of experience we would have a great chance, but

that's in the lap of the gods."

The victory was a big boost to the side's confidence ahead of a two-legged League Cup semi-

final against league leaders Hythe Town. A place in the final at Folkestone Invicta's Buzzlines Stadium is up for grabs, with the second leg at Winch's Field next Wednesday.

Log on to www.yourcanterbury.co.uk for the match report from last night's game.

Oystermen give in to fear and defeat

FOOTBALL

■ BY YOURCANTERBURY REPORTER

Kingstonian 3 Whitstable Town 0

WHITSTABLE Town boss Marc Seager believes his side have done enough to guarantee the club's survival in Ryman South, despite watching them well beaten at Kingstonian.

The Oystermen took points from play-off hopefuls Dulwich Hamlet and Cray Wanderers in their previous games, but ran

wanterers in their previous games, but ran out of steam against Kingstonian.

Seager felt his side were intimidated by their more illustrious hosts' facilities, which played a part in their downfall.

He told Yourcanterbury: 'It was a poor per-formance, we played with a bit of fear which is disappointing because of the way we have been playing lately. They are a big club with a nice ground and it was the first time some players have been to a ground like that, maybe the stature got to them a bit.

"It was a bad day at the office but I think it shows how far we have come that we are disappointed we lost at Kingstonian."

Results elsewhere saw Town slip to 20th-

Results elsewhere saw Town sip to 20th-place on 33 points, but with second-bottom Horsham YMCA losing, the gap between the clubs remains nine points. The Oystermen's superior goal difference over the Sussex club is also a factor in their

over the Sussex Cuto is also a factor in their favour and Seager believes the gulf is too wide with just eight games to go.

He said: "I thought we would need 40 points but it won't take that many. We've done well, we've grown in stature. It was a said of the said of th major learning curve. I believe we have done enough to stay up, I can't see Horsham winning four games from their last eight."
On Saturday, Whitstable travel to play

Kent rivals Chatham Town, one point and three places above them in the table.



BATTLE: Whitstable captain Marcos Perona (in red) worked hard in midfield but could not prevent a heavy defeat

Olympics pitch up wealth of benefits



BOOST: Polo Farm's hockey pitches are one of the venues to be used for Olympic training

Canterbury as potential training camps for the London Olympics

camps for the London Olympics could feel the benefits for years, according to a regional 2012 chief. The city performed better than anywhere else in Kent, with six sites included in the London Organising Committee's (LOCOG) guide of potential sites, which will be distributed to all other Olympic associations this summer.

Padraig Herlihy, South East coordinator for the 2012 Games, believes the potential for raising the profile of Canterbury's sport facilities is huge.

He said: "Some teams will want to visit in the years before the Olympics to acclimatise to the weather and the culture so they are comfortable for 2012.

"We have also got the prospect of being used as training camps after the Olympics. In 2014 Glasgow has the Commonwealth Games. Scottish sites are being used for the London Olympics, so who is to say teams would not use sites in the South to prepare beforehand?"

OLYMPICS

Herlihy also believes having teams from other countries in the area will provide a unique chance to build lasting bonds.

He said: "It is not just about

sport, there are cultural and business opportunities.

"For example, if Canterbury get Venezuela they could establish links between each other. They could build school and community links and I would hope if there wasn't a British athlete in a final then people in the city would cheer on the Venezuelan."

Christ Church University, Polo

Farm Hockey Club, Canterbury Rhythmic Gymnastics Club, the St Lawrence Cricket Ground, Canterbury High School and the University of Kent were the ven-

ues included in the guide.

The facilities could be celebrating again in two months' time, when LOCOG release the venues suitable for Paralympic teams to train before London 2012.

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SPORT IN BRIEF

City just four wins away from taking league title

A LACK of available players forced Pembury to postpone their game with Canterbury City on Saturday.

Wins for Woodstock Park and Borden Wills for woodstock fair and potential village allowed them to close the gap on the league leaders, but City still have a tenpoint lead going into the final quarter of the season. Dave Fairclough's side need four wins from their remaining six games to lift the Kent County League Division Two East

title at the first attempt.
They host Lanes End at Bridge
Recreation Ground on Saturday, kick-off is
at 2.45pm.

United determined to claim victory in Italy

HERNE Bay United travel to Italy this weekend to play Prato in their final game in roller hockey's European League.
The English champions have found the

competition against professional sides from the continent difficult so far, losing all five of

Phil McVey's side are desperate to finish on a high and were unlucky not to win when the sides met at the Pier in December, losing 3-2. Elsewhere in Pool B, Porto play Spanish side Pati Vic for a place in the semi-finals.

City back in top three as season draws to a close

CANTERBURY RFC moved back into National Three South's top three with a 41-20 win away at Luton.

The visitors did not have it all their own way against the division's bottom side, but did enough to win comfortably.

Victory along with a bonus point took Canterbury above Ealing as they look to end the season on a high. The team have just four games remaining and host North Walsham on Saturday.

Under-18s felled during tough penalty shoot-out

A PENALTY shoot-out denied Herne Bay under-18s a place in the John Ullman Memorial Cup quarter-finals after a defeat at the hands of Maidstone United.

Ben Brown scored an equaliser late on to set up extra-time and James Hunt looked to have given the hosts the victory, but the Stones squared the game in the dying min-utes. United prevailed in the shoot-out to progress to the last four.

Bay's under-18s return to league action

tomorrow night with a game against Dover Athletic.





A look at one facility which could host pre-Olympic training

